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WORKS PLANS SOON BEFORE PARLIAMENT

Peace Rail Link Is Urged To Add To Employment

Transportation Between That Area and B.C. Coast Would Be of Greater Value to Canada Than Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Waterway, Says G. M. Murray, M.P.P.-Elect For Lillooet

Says Ottawa Rejected Pattullo's Request

Vancouver, Jan. 25.—Development of the northland, tributary to this populous district of British Columbia, is of greater value to Canada than the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence waterway project, in the opinion of George M. Murray, M.P.P.-elect for Lillooet.

"A transportation system from Vancouver to the Peace River and Mackenzie basin would serve a new region with as much potential wealth and of as great area as that to be served by the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence project," he says. "It would lead to an all-year-round port quite as near to the great markets of the world as are the eastern ports, which will be frozen up six months of the year."

The Liberal M.P.P.-elect states that while President Roosevelt and Premier Bennett are entangled about the St. Lawrence project, "there are few favorable words in the east for making our western heritage available to our idle young men."

Premier Pattullo has been turned down by the Ottawa government in his request for aid in this northland project, said Mr. Murray in address before the Provincial Progressive Club here yesterday evening. "The sum of \$10,000,000 would have made it possible to carry out the greater part of the project—would have supplied the missing link from Vancouver to the Peace River and on to the mountain passes."

WELLAND CANAL COST
"Ottawa spent \$132,000,000 building the Welland Canal in Ontario to provide a trade outlet. The whole nation paid it and no one complained. Yet Ottawa refuses to put up money for the western outlet from the Peace River."

"Surely, in the face of Ottawa's past generosity to the east, the people of British Columbia and Alberta should be entitled to aid in a project which would provide work for thousands."

COMMISSION ON BUILDING URGED

Canadian Press
Toronto, Jan. 25.—Establishment of a permanent board or commission under the federal government which would attempt to stabilize the building industry was recommended by W. D. Black, executive of a Hamilton Elevator Company, speaking before members of the Canadian Construction Association here yesterday.

Province Carries Succession Duties Case to Court of Appeal
J. W. de B. Farris, K.C., as counsel for the Attorney-General of British Columbia, this morning in the Court of Appeal, launched the province's fight to protect its revenue under the Succession Duties Act, which was declared invalid by Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald last November.

THE CASE arose in the estates of Oscar Brown and Sophie Frensis Frank following the ruling of the Privy Council that the Alberta Succession Duties Act was invalid. Mr. Justice McDonald, in his judgment, ruled that while the language of the British Columbia Act was not identical, it was so similar that it could not successfully be distinguished. The total amount involved in the test case is \$1,148.

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CANADIAN JEWS TO MEET

Toronto, Jan. 25 (Canadian Press).—Regarded as likely to have far-reaching results as far as Canadian Jewry is concerned, a Jewish congress representative of every section of the Dominion will convene here January 27 to discuss important problems affecting the Jewish people. The sessions will extend over January 28 and 29.

PREMIER CHALLENGES FRENCH CHAMBER

Paris, Jan. 25.—Premier Camille Chautemps to-day threatened to resign and take his cabinet with him if the Chamber of Deputies created a parliamentary committee to investigate the Bayonne pawnshop scandal.

WORKS PLAN IS ANALYZED

Government Officials Interested in Ottawa Report \$3,800,000 For B.C.

Would Give Employment to Large Number of Men During Year

No official word has been received at the Parliament Buildings, but considerable interest was shown this morning in Ottawa dispatches stating that it is probable a federal works programme will be embarked upon calling for an expenditure of \$3,800,000 in British Columbia. None of the money would be used for road construction, according to the Ottawa reports.

Officials of the government interested in construction estimates that 50 per cent of the money would be spent in wages and 50 per cent in materials. The 50 per cent, however, does not indicate the total extent to which payrolls would be helped as in construction work approximately 82 per cent of the cost of materials is paid out in labor. British Columbia, it is believed, could produce 90 per cent of the materials used in the proposed construction of new buildings and the rehabilitation of present buildings so a great proportion of the total sum would be spent in wages.

Estimating the rate of pay in construction work at \$5 a day the \$3,800,000 would provide 200 days' work during the year for between 3,000 and 4,000 men.

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U.S. DOLLAR IN LONDON GAINS

Associated Press
London, Jan. 25.—The United States dollar moved steadily up two cents on a quiet foreign exchange market here to-day and closed at 84.97 to the pound sterling. Gold currencies firmed and the French franc closed unchanged at 79.84 to the pound.

Manitoba Also Has Sub-zero Temperatures; Saskatchewan Man and Boy Lost Lives

Winnipeg, Jan. 25.—The weatherman to-day moderated his threat of a severe cold spell for Saskatchewan and Alberta, but he handed Manitoba and northwestern Ontario the full measure of sub-zero temperatures.

Winnipeg at thirty below was one of the coldest spots on the prairies. Calgary's low was ten above and Edmonton's fourteen.

SASKATCHEWAN DEATHS
Royal Canadian Mounted Police to-day sought definite identification of two persons who fell victims of a raging blizzard in the Yorkton district of eastern Saskatchewan.

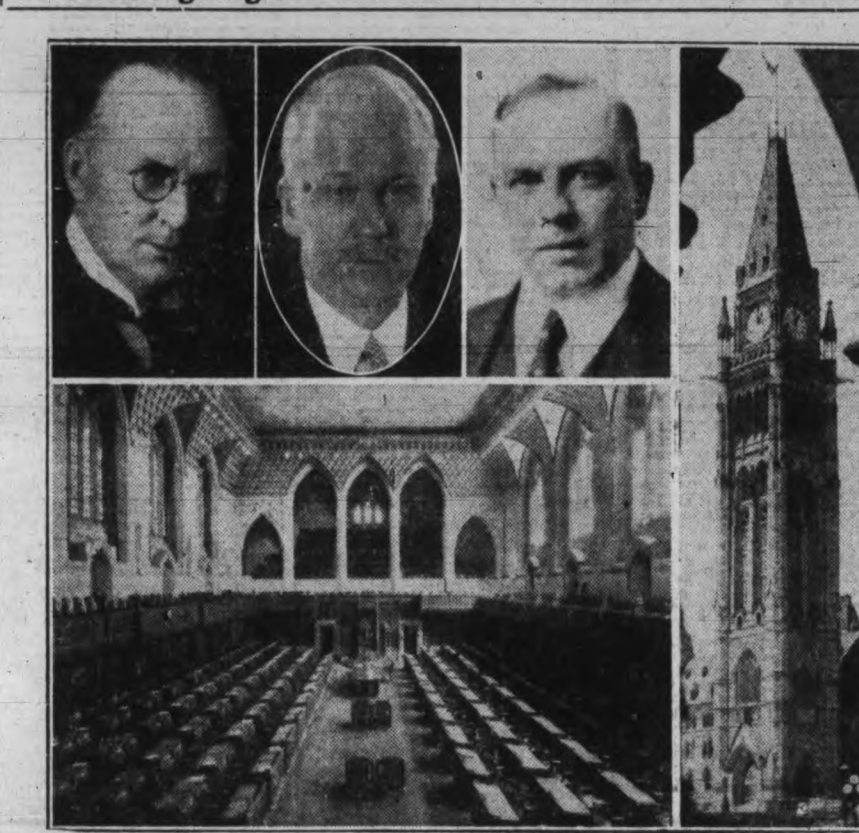
While five others had narrowly escaped death, the storm took lives, blocked highways, disrupted telephone communication in some sections, delayed trains and caused many inconveniences both in country points and in the cities.

FOUND BY CHILDREN
School children late yesterday found the two bodies several miles apart in the Yorkton district. One of the dead was believed to be Thomas Andrew, aged farmer of the Stemen district, while the other was identified as the fourteen-year-old son of Mike Biblow, a farmer residing several miles northwest of the village of Springdale.

The youth left his home shortly after dinner Tuesday to visit his brother, who was working near Ingleton and is believed to have lost his way and fainted from exhaustion. Dr. A. O. Turner said the youth died from exposure and an inquest would not be necessary.

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Leading Figures And Scene Of Events In Ottawa



Above is a glimpse of the House of Commons chamber, where at the session of Parliament opened to-day measures of the first importance, affecting Canada from coast to coast, will be threshed out during the next few weeks. The Earl of Bessborough, Governor-General, upper centre, read the Speech from the Throne to-day. Upper left is shown Premier Bennett and, upper right, Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Leader of the Opposition. On the extreme right is a view of the Peace Tower as seen through the portico of the East Block.

Notes Spur Search In Minnesota For Abduction Gang

Secret Service Men Try To Trace Unsigned Letters Sent to Post Office, Addressed to Father of Kidnaped E. G. Bremer

Associated Press
St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 25.—Federal operatives struck out on a new trail to-day, seeking to solve the eight-day enigma of the kidnaping of Edward G. Bremer, held for \$200,000 ransom, by running down the source of two anonymous notes, supposedly penned by the abductors.

It was understood they contained instructions for meeting the abductors at their rendezvous for ransoming the son of the principal owner of the Jacob Schmidt Brewing Company.

One missive, unsigned, was received Tuesday at the Minneapolis post office. The other was brought in Wednesday. They were unstamped and addressed to Adolph Bremer, father of the missing man.

W. C. Robertson, postmaster, turned them over to Werner Hanni, head of the St. Paul office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

British Columbia lost one of its foremost agriculturalists in the death yesterday afternoon at the Jubilee Hospital of William E. Scott, deputy Minister of Agriculture from 1909 to 1918, since when he had been a resident of Salt Spring Island.

Mr. Scott has been in poor health for some years and had undergone a series of operations which afforded him temporary relief, but he gradually grew worse and entered the hospital about two weeks ago, the end coming yesterday afternoon.

Born in Bradford, Yorkshire, England, on May 8, 1866, Mr. Scott went to New Zealand in 1882, where he made an extensive study of wheat-farming. Six years later he came to British Columbia and took up land near Tranquille, where he resided until 1890, at which time he moved to Salt Spring Island and acquired farm holdings.

His outstanding ability as an agriculturist was recognized in 1902, when he was appointed by order-in-council as member of the Provincial Board of Horticulture for Vancouver Island, a position which he occupied for seven years.

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Central Bank and Farm Marketing Board Among Bills Drafted At Ottawa

Dominion-wide Building Programme to Be Laid Before Parliament for Approval, Speech From Throne at Opening of Session in Ottawa To-day Indicates; New Basis for Farm Credits Sought, Members of Commons and Senate Are Told

Brilliant Scene At the Opening

Canadian Press
Ottawa, Jan. 25.—An overcast sky failed to dampen the brilliant setting of the formal opening of the 1934 session of Parliament here this afternoon. Crowds gathered early on Parliament Hill to watch the Governor-General and his cavalry escort arrive at the Buildings. Inside the Senate chamber, the brilliant gowns of women set off the sombre red walls, the flashy uniforms of officers of the air, land and sea forces were in contrast to the drab blue, black and grey suits of the legislators.

When the ringing of the Commons bell and the dignified tolling of the Senate gong were heard once more through the corridors of "Centre Block" promptly at 3 o'clock this afternoon they signalled the rise of the curtain on the fifth session of Canada's Seventeenth Parliament since Confederation.

The "Chosen of the People"—members of the House of Commons—swayed in the green chamber the summons of the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, who demanded they attend forthwith, in the chamber of "The Honourable Senate." Headed by Speaker George Blaylock, the commons walked down the long corridor to the red chamber, where they stood just without the precincts of the Senate floor, and heard the Speech from the Throne read by the Governor-General in English and French.

Indications are that the bulk of the government legislation will be brought into the House of Commons early in the session, and that the estimates will make their appearance some time next week, possibly Monday.

One of the most complicated items of government legislation, that which will achieve the decentralization of the Bank Act, and set up the machinery for a central bank, has already been prepared after weeks of work by departmental officials.

This will go to the committee on Banking and currency and undoubtedly will be the subject of considerable deliberation, possibly with public hearings.

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LADNER BRIDGE PLAN REJECTED

Marine Department Against Span of Type Proposed in Agreement

Notification was received in Victoria from Ottawa to-day that the Ladner Bridge Company's plans for a bridge across the Fraser are not acceptable to the Dominion government. The British Columbia government since it took office had already refused to recognize the agreement which the company had entered into with the Tolmie government.

Members of the present government fought the agreement when it was brought before the last Legislature and gave notice that if the Liberal Party were returned at the election they would not recognize it. The guarantees which the government was called upon to make were the main reasons for the opposition.

Since the cancellation of the agreement there has been talk of new financial terms being sought by the company but, according to information from Ottawa, whether terms are reached or not, the Ladner Bridge Company will not be allowed to build a bridge of the type which it proposes.

Disapproval of the Department of Marine is based on a definite recommendation against the bridge from the New Westminster harbor commissioners, following correspondence between them and the Federal government.

DISAPPROVED BY BOARD
Some time ago the Department of Marine advised the New Westminster harbor commissioners that if they did not approve of a bridge of the type proposed to be built at Ladner, they should so inform the department immediately. Responsibility for the

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TAX ON LIQUOR MAY BE REDUCED

Ottawa, Jan. 25.—The Speech from the Throne at the opening of Parliament here to-day foreshadowed legislation to amend the Excise Act. It is said changes are proposed, probably to reduce the gallonage tax on liquor.

BIG QUESTIONS BEFORE M.P.'S

Canadian Press
Ottawa, Jan. 25.—Problems of profound significance to the country will be faced by Parliament at the session which was opened this afternoon. Canada's economic situation will particularly be the centre of considerable attention, with several opportunities afforded members to ventilate their opinions on both government measures and private resolutions.

The financial situation of the provinces, with special regard to the conditions in southern Saskatchewan, will early be brought before the House, and the whole problem of unemployment relief will be debated.

Commons Debate To Start Monday

Ottawa, Jan. 25.—Next Monday will begin the general business of the session of Parliament formally opened to-day. With the Commons adjourning until to-morrow, the start of the debate on the Speech from the Throne was set for Monday.

The government's motion to amend the Excise Act, the Speech from the Throne, and the Speech from the Throne, will be moved by Samuel Gobeil, Conservative, Compton, Que., and seconded by H. J. Barber, Conservative, Fraser Valley, British Columbia.

LONDON GOLD PRICE

Montreal, Jan. 25 (Canadian Press).—The price of gold in London to-day was \$33.21 an ounce in terms of the Canadian dollar, based on the London price of 132s 1d and the quotation of sterling in Montreal at 85.62. Yesterday the Canadian equivalent was \$33.47.

B.C. Watches French Salmon Imports As Russia Signs Pact

Interests on This Coast Say Tariff Cut For Soviet Means Less Fish Will Go From British Columbia

Canadian Press
Vancouver, Jan. 25.—British Columbia's canned salmon industry will suffer heavily through a French trade agreement with Russia, effective January 11, giving that country the same tariff privileges on canned salmon now enjoyed by Canada and Japan, it was stated to-day in manufacturing circles here.

The trade agreement was announced today through the British Columbia branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association.

Russia obtains by the agreement, a minimum tariff from France on frozen fish, canned crabs, rough and dressed lumber and other goods, including grains. She also obtains a rate of 84 francs for 100 kilos on canned salmon up to 42,500 quintals for the year 1934, with privilege on carrying over 50 per cent of the quantity into the first quarter of 1935.

By the French agreement with Canada made on June 10, 1933, British Columbia was enabled to sell 74,500 quintals of canned salmon, equivalent to 235,000 cases, to France.

With Russia now entering the French market on the same terms as Japan and British Columbia packers, the market of the latter will be considerably curtailed and there is a possibility of heavy price reductions.

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Estimates Planned On Economy Pattern

Canadian Press
Ottawa, Jan. 25.—A Dominion-wide building programme to relieve unemployment and stimulate economic recovery was foreshadowed to-day in the Speech from the Throne, read at the opening of Parliament by the Earl of Bessborough, Governor-General. Members and senators, gathered in the red-walled upper chamber, heard the Government's proposals for legislation.

The speech intimated legislation would be introduced to "facilitate the efficient and profitable marketing of livestock and agricultural products," possibly through some form of a marketing board.

Arising from the World Monetary Conference, the government will submit for ratification agreements designed to mitigate silver fluctuations. The Bank Act, under which the chartered banks operate, will be overhauled on the basis of the Macmillan commission's report, particularly the establishment of a central bank.

COMPANIES' ACT

The speech foreshadowed legislation amending the Companies Act, possibly to consolidate it on a Dominion-wide basis with the aid of the provinces; the Judges Act and the Elections Act. Throughout the speech were references to better times and improved business conditions.

The world wheat agreement, designed to remove abnormal supplies from the market and regulate acreage, will be tabled in the House, the speech indicated. There was no mention of the St. Lawrence Waterway Treaty, now before the United States senate for ratification.

TEXT OF SPEECH

The Governor-General read the Speech from the Throne as follows: "Honorable members of the Senate: Members of the House of Commons: You are summoned for the dispatch of public business at a time when there are sound reasons for believing that the world is gradually returning to economic stability. I congratulate you that such improved world conditions are reflected in Canada by expanding trade, improving revenues, increasing employment and a more confident outlook on the future. Canada occupies a leading position amongst those countries where the evidence of a return to permanent prosperity is most convincing."

"Since I have been associated with you as the representative of His Majesty in Canada, I have visited every province of the Dominion. I have been greatly impressed by the loyalty, devotion and friendliness of the people, as well as the high courage with which men and women were meeting and overcoming abnormal difficulties in their daily lives."

FOUR ESCAPE IN COLLISION

Street Car Operator and Truck Passengers Narrowly Miss Serious Injuries

Wyndham Davis, B.C. Electric street car operator, and three passengers of a large wood truck, narrowly missed death and serious injury in an accident yesterday evening at the corner of Cook and Southgate Streets.

Mr. Davies was operating a south-bound Poul Bay car and crashed head on into George Hill's truck which had stalled while turning north on Cook Street from Southgate. The collision completely destroyed the vestibule of the street car and is believed to have damaged the undercarriage of the truck.

The operator's escape from serious injury was miraculous and was due solely to his presence of mind when he saw that an accident could not be avoided. At the time, the street car tracks were slippery with the rain and the car was traveling south down the slight incline on Cook Street and Fairfield Road to Pendapat Street.

STREET CAR SKIDDED
The truck was stalled squarely across the tracks and the street car's headlight did not pick it up until it was nearly upon it. Mr. Davies jammed on the emergency air brake and realized the street car was skidding into the crash.

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LADNER BRIDGE PLAN REJECTED

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construction of the bridge, it was stated, must be taken by the harbor commissioners, unless they registered their objection in writing to the project.

The harbor commissioners passed a resolution definitely disapproving of the Ladner bridge on the ground that it would be a grave menace to navigation up the Fraser. They have expert opinion to support this contention.

They state the Ladner bridge as proposed would narrow the natural channel of the Fraser from 900 to 300 feet, which they consider far too small. But they would not be opposed to a span 900 feet wide, with ample clearance above for the largest vessels.

This means the present project, at least, cannot go ahead. Whether the Ladner Bridge Company is prepared to submit a new plan providing for a much larger and far more expensive bridge is not known. Such a bridge, of course, would involve an entirely new financial set-up.

Cold Wave Swinging Over North Ontario

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FOLLOWED FENCES

Saskatoon, Jan. 25.—Fence lines, the barbed wire variety so common on the prairies, have become "life lines" in two prairie districts.

Vernon Stille led his two sisters to safety along a fence line near his home at Sunnyside, Alta., on Tuesday's swirling blizzard and on the same day, near Teser, Sask., William Morris and his mother, Mrs. G. H. Skirving of Zealandia reached refuge from the storm's fury the same way.

Lost on the prairies, William and his mother, with a team and sleigh, reached a fence and followed it to a farm home. Both suffered frost bites and required medical treatment.

BUTTER HELD IN BOND HERE

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The apparent explanation for the government action, as given by a dealer in local butter this morning, was that there was plenty of butter in the country at present and the Ottawa instructions were given for protection of the local producers and dealers. A case of this nature was registered for relief when the figure included 26,767 single men, 2,696 married transients, 7,491 municipal residents and 3,147 provincial residents. Of the 40,101, 6,793, or roughly one in six, were aliens.

At present there are 40,000 registrations, including heads of families and single men representing approximately 100,000 individuals, relying on relief.

WM. E. SCOTT PASSES AWAY

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In 1905 he was appointed exhibition commissioner, having charge of the organization and display of provincial products shown in the Royal Horticultural Show and in the principal centres of the United Kingdom and New York, Chicago and other large cities in United States and Canada. So outstanding was his work that in 1909 he was appointed deputy minister

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of Agriculture, which office he held with distinction until his retirement due to ill-health in 1918.

After his retirement, Mr. Scott returned to his farm at Salt Spring Island, residing there until his condition necessitated his coming to Victoria to enter hospital.

He is mourned by his widow, formerly Miss Ella Innes of Victoria, one son, Capt. Douglas P. Scott, Berkeley, Cal., and one daughter, Miss Maud Innes Scott of Duncan, B.C.

The remains are resting at the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Announcement of the funeral will be made later.

The funeral will be held to-morrow morning, the cortege leaving the S. J. Curry and Sons Funeral Home at 11 Church Street and proceeding to St. Mary's Church where Rev. J. S. A. Bailein will conduct the services at 11:30 o'clock, after which the remains will be forwarded to Vancouver for cremation.

Brilliant Scene At the Opening

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The early appearance of the estimate will be a departure from the usual custom as it has seldom been possible to bring them down until later in the session. This is true of the majority of government bills, but a general determination to place all weighty measures before the House early, has been manifested; apparently with a view to shortening the session.

VETERANS' QUESTIONS

Whether war veterans' affairs are due for discussion at this session has not been ascertained. Last year Hon. E. N. Rhodes, Finance Minister, indicated the settlement reached between the government and the ex-service men's organization was not final, and that it might be reopened at a later session.

Thousands of Aliens On B.C. Relief List

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The total applications for relief on the government records numbers 114,279. Many of these, of course, have obtained employment since registering, and the figure given does not mean that number were registered for relief at one time. It is estimated that of the 114,279 applications for relief received probably 60,000 were from married men with dependents and existing in a family at between three and four times means that in the last few years a quarter of a million people have at one time or other been relying upon relief for subsistence.

Since registration of relief applications was reopened in November, 1932 the registrations have numbered 40,101. The figure includes 26,767 single men, 2,696 married transients, 7,491 municipal residents and 3,147 provincial residents. Of the 40,101, 6,793, or roughly one in six, were aliens.

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Just before the impact he jumped from his seat into the aisle of the car and two seconds later he saw a load of long cordwood crash through the front windows of the vestibule, and right into the place where he had been sitting. The entire machinery at the front of the street car was demolished.

George Hill, the driver, the truck, was cracking it when he first saw the street car coming, about two blocks away. In it were seated two boys. The street car fortunately missed the truck, but the truck in which the two boys were seated, George Hill jumped back from the front of the truck when he saw the car was going to hit.

Cordwood was scattered several feet away by the impact and traffic was blocked at the intersection for about three-quarters of an hour. Constable George Varney and Driver James Strong attended the accident with the police patrol and took measurements.

There were half a dozen passengers in the street car at the time, and suffering injuries other than a severe leg when the collision took place.

"INTERNATIONALE" STIRS U.S. CITY

Philadelphia, Jan. 25.—Censure was heaped to-day on Leopold Stokowski, conductor of the Philadelphia Orchestra, for his reported suggestion that his audience of young people learn the words of the "Internationale" and sing it while the orchestra played.

He is said to have suggested it to the young people at the last youths' concert of the orchestra, proposing the orchestra play it at the next concert.

Criticism came from the county board of the American Legion, which appointed a committee of three to visit Mr. Stokowski and demand removal of the "Internationale" from the programme.

TROUBLE OVER PEELING EXAM

Cowichan Lake Girl Says Lad Struck Her Because Spelling Errors Marked

A difference of opinion between two school children over marking of a spelling lesson formed the background for a damage action which opened before Mr. Justice Robertson in the Supreme court this morning.

Sidney L. Scholey claims \$514.25 for hospital and medical expenses and his daughter, Neila Myra Joan, claims damages resulting from a ruptured kidney, which it is alleged was caused from a punch given her by William Crookley Jr., the other pupil.

When A. D. Crease, counsel for the plaintiff, opened the case, the court heard a description of the little country school house at the foot of Cowichan Lake, where a spelling lesson was in progress soon after the opening of school last June 21.

The children, said Mr. Crease, were given words to spell and were then told to mark others papers. Joan Scholey and Billy Crookley exchanged their papers and Joan found Billy had made a number of errors which she marked. When he received the papers back he told her he would "get even with her," Mr. Crease said.

As Joan skipped home for lunch with her arm around the neck of a girl friend, Lillian Johnson, a boy followed and punched her in the back, at the left side, Mr. Crease said. She went home crying and the next morning had to be taken to hospital with a ruptured kidney, which was removed by an operation. The plaintiff claimed the blow struck by the boy caused the injury.

The two children who are the central figures in the suit, sat in the courtroom this morning with their parents and school chums, who are witnesses in the case.

JOAN'S STORY

Joan was on the witness stand for more than an hour, telling her version of the affair.

"I put a lot of crosses on Billy's lesson," she said, "and then he said he'd get me for that. He did not do anything at recess, but when I was walking home with Lillian, he hit me as he ran past us."

"I went 'Oh-oh,' and sort of half collapsed, and went home crying. I could not take half a cup of cocoa for lunch, and I tried to eat some strawberries, but couldn't. In the afternoon I went back to school and wasn't feeling very good, but didn't mention it to my teacher."

After school, he said, some friends wanted her to play tennis with them, but she did not feel like it. She did not eat much supper, but went out afterwards to pick wild roses with Greta Johnson, another friend. While crossing over a plank, she felt sick and tired, and collapsed. Greta held her head for a time and then she managed to get home.

During the night she "felt bad" and the next morning Dr. McHaffie called to see her. He ordered her to hospital, where Dr. G. W. Bisset and Dr. Gordon Kenning were called. After the operation she was eighteen days in the hospital at Duncan.

D. S. Tall, defence counsel, cross-examined the girl regarding the fall she had suffered in the evening, intimating the defence would be that the injury was not caused through the blow.

Medical evidence was also called this morning, as well as Joan's girl friend. The case is proceeding.

SAYS TAX IN B.C. INDIRECT

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Mr. Harris based his argument this morning on a differentiation in the acts of Alberta and British Columbia with regard to security for the duty which must be posted by the executor of an estate.

The Alberta Act was thrown out on the grounds of being indirect taxation. Mr. Harris pointed out it made the executor personally liable for the tax before probate was allowed, and since he passed this liability on to the beneficiaries, it became an indirect charge. This placed a primary liability on the executor. In British Columbia, however, the executor was a secondary liability, and the tax was directly upon the beneficiaries, he maintained.

Chief Justice Bull, K.C., is appearing for the respondents in the case.

WORKS PLAN IS ANALYZED

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Toronto, Jan. 25.—"Initial expenditure of \$50,740,000 in eight provinces, of which Ontario and Quebec will receive the greatest portions, and of which substantially all will be spent in construction of provincial and federal buildings, form the principles of the 'moderate plan' to public relief which Prime Minister R. B. Bennett was quoted as forecasting two days ago." The Mail and Empire to-day stated it was authoritative information that the plan was being analyzed.

"The plan," it was stated, "represents the work of twenty regional committees scattered across Canada, in co-operation with a central committee at the headquarters in Toronto."

"Months of time and effort were put into it by the members of the surveying Council of Canada before it was submitted to the Prime Minister and received his approval."

"Under its proposals, division of the total will be as follows: proportionately: British Columbia, \$2,840,000; Alberta, \$3,215,000; Saskatchewan, \$3,975,000; Manitoba, \$4,484,000; Ontario, \$7,500,000; Quebec, \$12,368,800; New Brunswick, \$2,075,000; Nova Scotia, \$2,325,000; Prince Edward Island, no apportionment so far."

Works would not include housing, deep waterways, nor road construction. The Mail and Empire said it had been informed, but would be devoted entirely to construction of new buildings and rehabilitation of present buildings.

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OTTAWA TRADE PACTS

"The Ottawa trade agreements have now been in operation for a full year and the results indicate substantial expansion of Canadian trade with the preceding year. It is worthy of note that the agreements are proving beneficial to all empire countries. The trading position of the empire as a whole has steadily improved. Canada has again resumed her place as the fifth exporting nation. Our favorable tariff treatment in those countries to discharge our international obligations and have greatly lessened the difficulties of the international exchange situation."

The temporary trade arrangements made with Germany and Austria have been further extended. Canadian producers are now receiving most favored tariff treatment in those countries in exchange for the grant of our intermediate tariff on their products.

The agricultural products, which have fallen in recent years to the lowest level in history, have shown a marked improvement in the last few months. My government realizes, however, that further increases in price levels are necessary to ensure success to those engaged in agriculture. You will be invited to consider legislation designed to facilitate the efficient and profitable marketing of livestock and agricultural products.

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ECONOMIC CONFERENCE REPORTS

"Members of the government participated in the World Monetary and Economic Conference, which opened in London in June of last year. The report approved by the conference and the resolutions adopted by the bureau and the executive committee, as well as certain agreements entered into by the government designed to mitigate fluctuations in the price of silver, will be laid before you. The conference also discussed certain subjects, but arrived at no conclusions of special interest and concern to Canada in respect to central banks, the gold standard, and the percentage of metallic coverage essential to the successful functioning of gold as a medium of international exchange. During the conference, my ministers informally met the representatives of the United Kingdom and other countries of the British Commonwealth of Nations, with a view to the further development of empire co-operation, and adopted certain resolutions with respect to monetary and financial policies, which will be laid before you."

CENTRAL BANK

"In July of last year my government appointed a royal commission to inquire into and report upon the operation of the banking and monetary system of Canada, with particular reference to the provisions and working of the Bank Act, the Dominion Notes Act, the Finance Act and the Currency Act, and the advisability of establishing a central banking institution. You will be invited to consider legislation for the establishment of a central bank, and the revision of the bank charters, which were extended at the last session of Parliament to the first day of July, 1934, and to consider future appropriate amendments and additions to our banking and monetary legislation."

WHEAT PRICES

"My government, acting with representatives of other wheat exporting countries, as well as representatives of wheat importing countries, have entered into an agreement for relieving the world market from the disastrous price-depressing influence of abnormal surplus wheat stocks. It is a matter of satisfaction that the parties to this agreement are co-operating with a degree of effectiveness which is a ready reflection of improved prices. The agreement will be laid before you."

FEDERAL LOAN

"Since prorogation, my government made a public offering of Canadian securities in the United Kingdom. This was the first time in over fifteen years that Canada had negotiated a loan in the British market. The reception of the loan was gratifying in the extreme, indicating the high standing of Canada in the world."

FARM CREDITS

"My government have been giving careful consideration to measures that might be adopted for the establishment of agricultural short-term and intermediate credit institutions, representatives of the provinces to study the means by which practical effect may be given to the recommendations in this respect made by the Royal Commission on monetary and banking problems."

RELIEF MEASURES

"My government have recently concluded a conference with the representatives of all the provinces, when, after the fullest discussion, it was agreed that it was desirable in the national interest that assistance to the provinces should be wholly discontinued until the return of more normal conditions. The extent and method of affording such assistance were left for negotiation between the government and the governments of the several provinces."

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BONDS RECOVERED

Vancouver, Jan. 25.—(Canadian Press)—Police yesterday evening announced they had recovered \$5,000 of the \$6,000 worth of bonds looted from the Regi estate office of H. L. Badernach, Granville Street, January 13, by yeggs-men who forced open the safe. Officers, apparently acting on a "tip," seized the bonds at an undrugged place.

MR. SPEAKMAN ARRESTED

Alfred Speakman, U.F.A. member for Red Deer, Alberta, was unable to take his seat at the opening of Parliament to-day. Mr. Speakman came east earlier in the month to place himself in the hands of a physician in respect to a condition which sessions ago necessitated his prolonged absence from the House. He has not responded as promptly to treatment as was expected, but it is hoped he will be able to resume work early in February.

DISASTER KILLS 216 IN CHINA

Scenes of Horror When Yangtse Steamer Grounds and Burns

Shanghai, Jan. 25.—Two hundred and sixteen men, women and children were burned to death or drowned the night of January 21 when the Chinese steamer Weitung caught fire in the Yangtse River, belated reports revealed to-day.

The vessel exploded and sank a few minutes after the blaze had started. Only thirty-four persons escaped.

Officers of the Chinese steamer Kiangnan, from Hankow, said the Weitung was heading up the river when she grounded sixty miles below Hankow. She carried 200 passengers, a crew of fifty and a cargo of tallow and cotton.

At midnight the ship lurched and the tallow caught fire, turning the vessel into an incandescent furnace. Boilers exploded almost instantly.

Passengers and crew were thrown into a panic with no chance of lowering lifeboats. A majority died into the icy river, choosing a watery grave in the Yangtse rather than death by burning.

INFANT DEATH RATE TOO HIGH

Despite Decrease in Latter Part of 1933, City Figures Still Above Usual

Although the infant mortality rate, which was the cause of much thought during the first half of the year, fell very considerably towards the end of 1933, the figure for Victoria is still too high, in the opinion of Dr. Richard Felton, medical health officer. Word to this effect was expressed in his last quarterly report for the year.

On the basis of 1,000 births, Victoria's infant mortality rate was thirty-one, bringing the total rate for the year to 53.8 on 1,000, the highest since 1929.

"While the outbreak of rubella and scarlet fever seems to be subsiding during the last quarter of the year several cases of chickenpox have occurred in our school district," the report stated in part. "Except for these, have been practically no other communicable diseases notified to this department."

The report shows rubella the most common disease during 1933, in Victoria City a total of 283 cases being reported. Chickenpox afflicted sixty-six, pulmonary tuberculosis fifty-six, scarlet fever fifty-four and whooping cough forty-eight.

DUEL IN PARIS IS BLOODLESS

Four Shots Fired By Deputy and Lawyer, But Neither Wounded

Paris, Jan. 25.—Four pistol shots echoed through an empty football stadium in the Parc des Princes on the outskirts of Paris early to-day as Deputy Andre Hesse and John Beineix, lawyer, fought the first duel to materialize from the Bayonne bank scandal.

The two men met in the large athletic field in the midst of 20,000 empty benches in a biting cold wind, each firing two shots from "lightly loaded" pistols, without result.

The bitterness of their quarrel, wrote growth of an article Beineix wrote criticizing Hesse for his activities as a lawyer for Serge Stavisky while a member of the Chamber of Deputies, was not settled by the "satisfaction of honor." Stavisky founded the fallen Bayonne newspaper.

Expressing dissatisfaction at the result, the men stalked off the vacant field with their attendants.

The spot has been the scene of many duels in the past.

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Suspended Sentence Is Given Woman

Canadian Press
Edmonton, Jan. 25.—Mrs. Lillian Fusty to-day was given five years' suspended sentence following her conviction on a charge of manslaughter. The sentence formed to be a sequel to a five-day trial on a charge of murder, of Mrs. Fusty, fifty-two, and her son, William, twenty-four. The charge was laid following the death of the woman's divorced husband, Fred Fusty, at a farmhouse near here December 24.

COURT RULING FAVORS MOTHER

Nine-year-old Peter G. Simpson Given Into Her Control

Vancouver, Jan. 25.—Custody of nine-year-old Peter Gordon Simpson was awarded to his mother, Jewel Simpson, West Fourth Avenue, by Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald in the B.C. Supreme Court here.

Mrs. Simpson's claim was opposed by her husband, Gordon Hunter Simpson, an officer of the Steamer Princess Charlotte, who wished his son to remain with his grandmother, Mrs. Shirley Vandeleur Simpson, widow, of Victoria.

The parents separated on July 18, 1928, said the judge, and the child was subsequently left with his grandmother.

mother after the mother, who was without funds, went to Seattle to seek employment. She obtained a divorce in Seattle last year, but the decree has no effect in British Columbia. She returned to Vancouver a few months ago.

"The mother is an attractive-looking woman, twenty-nine years of age, and her child loves her," said the judge.

He explained she proposed to provide a home for the boy with her uncle and aunt, Charles Napier Gowen and Millie Gowen, West-Fourteenth Avenue.

The boy would have his mother's constant companionship, said the judge, and he thought that would now and as the years go by be an increasing advantage to him.

He criticized the husband for his refusal to return to his wife.

"Inasmuch as there is not the slightest suggestion of infidelity on her part, I find it impossible to uphold him in his attitude," he said.

The boy's father has been paying the grandmother \$30 a month for his maintenance.

Mr. and Mrs. Gowen were described by the judge as good respectable people and willing to provide a home for the child.

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KENTUCKY MOB LYNCHES NEGRO

Associated Press
Hazard, Ky., Jan. 25.—Three men were arrested on murder warrants and another held for questioning here to-day as Perry County officials pressed their investigation into the lynching of Rex Scott, a negro.

The charges followed an all-night questioning of the four men and others which began shortly after the twenty-year-old negro slayer had been forcibly taken from the county jail here by a masked mob. Approximately 100 shots were fired as the mob of 150 to 250 men left town and hurried to a graveyard in nearby Knott County, where Scott was hanged from a peach tree and more than a score of shots fired into his body.

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PEAS—8-oz. (Orchard City, sieve 5) Tin 5c

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AYLMER LIMA BEANS—Fancy 2's Tin 17c
AYLMER PEAS—2's, squat Tin 15c
AYLMER GRAPEFRUIT—2's, squat Tin 18c
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CANADIANS STUDY

WORKINGS OF NRA

Toronto, Jan. 25.—Canadian industry

must "iron out" the periods of depression

and inflation, Francis Hankin of

Montreal told members of the Canadian

Construction Association in a

convention here yesterday. The question

to be decided was what sort of control

would be established to flatten out the

peaks and fill in the hollows of the

prosperity chart, he said.

Various methods put into effect in

other countries were discussed by the

speaker, who alluded to Russia, Fascist

Germany and Italy, and the United

States. The latter, in his opinion, was

the country in which modern legisla-

tion probably came nearest giving Can-

ada a clue to the solution of her prob-

lem.

Stop Colitis

HELPS BOWELS AND STOMACH

Colitis, the newest disease in America

(functional irritation of the colon or large

intestine) is causing thousands to suffer

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Changes in Liquor Law in Ontario

Toronto, Jan. 25.—Any new policy

the Ontario government may have under

advisement as to free beer and wine

sales in this province will certainly not

be made operative before the next gen-

eral election, The Toronto Mail and

Empire says it was reliably informed.

"There is a probability, however, that

legislation providing for the long-for-

cast loosening up of the present law

will be passed this session, and left for

proclamation after election in the

event of the present administration be-

ing returned to power," the newspaper

says.

SEES BRIGHTER

OUTLOOK AHEAD

Canadian Press

Toronto, Jan. 25.—A bright outlook

in the business world was foreseen by

Sir Robert Borden, president of the

Crown Life Insurance Company, in his

presidential address to the annual

meeting Tuesday, but he wanted the

company directors there were great

factors to contend with before restora-

tion of normal economic conditions

occurred.

Sir Robert said there had been an

increase in the amount of life insur-

ance written in the Dominion, a sign

of recovery.

The company's annual report shows

total assets \$18,893,081 for 1933, com-

pared to \$17,892,630 at the end of 1932.

The capital and dividend funds amount

to \$1,138,107, including \$543,574 of un-

allotted surplus.

No Dictator, Says

British Labor

London, Jan. 25.—The British Labor

Party's strong repudiation of any indi-

vidual member advocating a dicta-

torship if Labor returns to power was

emphasized at a special meeting of

the party executive here yesterday.

The Labor Party, declared an official

statement, based its appeal to the

public on the far-reaching changes

that could be effected by a "demo-

cratic" government with a free elec-

toral system and an active and effi-

cient parliamentary machine.

Woman Spy And

Men Sent to Jail

Associated Press

Strasbourg, France, Jan. 25.—Beau-

tiful Pauline Sophie Dorte, a Ger-

man woman spy chief, went to jail

yesterday for three years.

"La Belle Sophie," as she is known

here, was given two terms, two years

for espionage and one year for com-

plicity in stealing a new model French

machine gun.

Five men, convicted of taking or-

ders from her, were jailed for one to

five years each. The woman spy chief

was arrested last October during a

flight automobile drive toward the

mandated Saar area. Her companion,

a French soldier, was charged with

the actual theft of the machine gun

found in the car.

HITLER DEMONSTRATION

Potdam, Germany, Jan. 25. (Asso-

ciated Press).—Nazis turned the cele-

bration of the two hundred and

twenty-second anniversary of the birth

of Frederick the Great into a demon-

stration for Adolf Hitler here yester-

day. Major Runge, retired, said: "The

old army stormers and Steel Helmets

stand arm in arm with Hitler—a

union which no power in this world

can break."

(Adv.)

GENEVA PAPER SEES NEW DANGERS GROW IN EUROPEAN LANDS

Journal Des Nations Lists

Number of Criminal Acts as

Tension Grows

By Joseph E. Sharkey, Associated

Press Foreign Staff Writer

Geneva, Jan. 25.—A sombre picture

of the European political and disarma-

ment situation was presented yester-

day by The Journal des Nations, a

widely read daily devoted to inter-

national problems.

In connection with Nazi agitation

in Austria and the intention of Chan-

cellor Engelbert Dollfuss there to ap-

peal to the League of Nations if he

does not receive German assurances of

abstention from interfering in Aus-

trian affairs, the newspaper pointed

to what it called a disquieting series

of criminal acts in Central Europe.

These were cited as including the

assassination of Premier Ion Duca of

Roumania, the explosion of bombs, de-

laimation of trains and the revelation

of an abortive attempt on the life of

King Alexander of Yugoslavia at Zagreb

December 17.

It was pointed out that as Germany,

despite her withdrawal, juridically is

still a member of the League, she

would be invited to an extraordinary

session of the League Council if one

were convoked at Austria's behest.

German circles in Geneva forecast

the refusal by Germany to attend any

such gathering.

BUTTER FREIGHT

RATE CUT URGED

Canadian Press

Montreal, Jan. 25.—Realizing the

railways of Canada were not making

undue profits, but claiming freight

rates on butter were unfair as com-

pared with those obtaining for other

commodities, J. A. Caulder of the Dairy

Corporation of Canada Limited, Tor-

onto, urged members of the Canadian

Produce Association in convention here

to make take action and approach

the parties involved.

Freight rates on butter were approxi-

mately the same now as they were

when butter was selling at from 42

to 44 cents a pound, he said. When

butter was being shipped from the prairie

provinces and delivered in Montreal at

16 cents a pound, as had sometimes

occurred during the last few years, a

freight rate of 3 cents a pound was an

undue burden on that product," he

added.

WHEAT POSITION

OF U.S. EXPLAINED

Associated Press

Washington, Jan. 25.—Secretary

Henry Wallace of the Department of

Agriculture says farmers in the United

States who go into wheat raising this

year in the hope of profiting by in-

creased prices will be "sadly disil-

lusioned people."

He told reporters of the "automatic

functions" of the administration's pro-

duction control programme, with a

system of bonus payments, and

pointed out how it would work to the

disadvantage of new wheat growers.

This year's wheat price was approxi-

mately twenty cents above Liverpool

and the crop was the shortest in forty

years, resulting in some farmers going

into wheat production, the Secretary

said.

At fifteen per cent production cut

would be made under the control plan

if the United States should live up to

the international wheat agreement, Mr.

Wallace said.

Mayor of Sarnia

Is Found Dead

Canadian Press

Sarnia, Ont., Jan. 25.—Gordon Hodg-

kins, thirty-six, mayor of Sarnia, was

found dead in his bedroom late yester-

day from poison, supposedly self-ad-

ministered, two hours after his release

from a hospital, where he had been

treated for injuries suffered in a motor

accident Tuesday. No inquest will be

held.

Find Queer Things In Deposit Boxes

New York, Jan. 25.—A fellow who

works in a bank reports on the strange

things found in safety deposit boxes

when they're forced open because of

long overdue rent. One box contained

nothing but a soiled powder puff;

another held only an old brass key;

a third a picture of a little boy. Lots

of them contain love letters and ad-

dress books which would be highly

negotiable, and documents were being

held for that very purpose. Black-

jacks and revolvers occasionally are

discovered, and a checkup almost al-

ways reveals that the person who

rented the box is in prison.

New Economies

Are Advocated

Editor of Financial Post

States Views on Duties of

Governments

Canadian Press

Toronto, Jan. 25.—Government

economy that guarantees the national

credit and protects the private invest-

or against "the confiscation of depre-

ciation" is the only solution of Can-

ada's depression problem, Floyd S.

Chalmers, editor of The Financial Post,

declared in addressing members of the

Canadian Construction Association at

their convention here this week.

Considerable reference had been

made, he said, to the United States,

where the administration "has assumed

the role of positive restorer of pros-

perity." President Roosevelt in his

budget message had outlined plans to

spend money at a rate which would

add \$9,000,000,000 to the public debt of

the United States in two years. But

between 1919 and 1920, the United

States had reduced its public debt

from \$25,482,000,000 to \$16,931,000,000.

"In other words, while we were add-

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EAST AND WEST IN ACCORD

Out of the Dominion-Provincial Conference at Ottawa and its results, one outstanding fact emerges: Mr. Pattullo and the three other western Premiers associated with him have made articulate the voice of a West united as never before in its determination that its interests shall no longer be rated as a subordinate factor in the formulation of national policy.

Development of the West has been accompanied by increasingly assertive efforts to gain practical recognition at Ottawa for its viewpoint, as opposed to the domination of the financial forces of eastern centres. The Progressive movement, which from 1921 to 1925 had sixty-four representatives in the House of Commons, constituted such an effort. After 1925, the United Farmers and Woodsworth groups, though somewhat smaller in numbers, continued the tradition, which later was productive of the C.C.F. organization. Each of these movements, however, narrowed into party and class lines. The result had been that until last week the West had never spoken to Ottawa with one voice, transcending groups, classes and sectional interests. This had been made possible by the initiative of Mr. Pattullo in the preliminary gathering of the three prairie Premiers with himself in Victoria in December.

The proceedings at the Ottawa Conference were not in public. There were intimations, however, of heated discussions. It was natural that the East should resent any challenging of its position of dominance by the now united western bloc. Since Confederation it has had practically the "whole say." It was not surprising that Premier Taschereau of Quebec should again be found painting a dark picture of the West and asserting that "it is Ontario and Quebec that provide eighty per cent of the revenue of Canada"—the implication being they should therefore call every tune.

Such is typical of the colonial complex in the attitude towards the West of an East too largely absorbed in exacting tribute as the products of the West flow to market, and, with its control of finance, in setting the rules of the game. In reply to statements such as that of Premier Taschereau, Mr. Pattullo was able to point out that in the five years ending 1932, British Columbia had paid into the Dominion treasury \$20,000,000 more than was spent by the federal government in British Columbia; also, that the federal government was to-day collecting more in British Columbia than the provincial government.

Mr. Pattullo also probably pointed to the tribute British Columbia and the other three western provinces have been paying in the form of hundreds of millions a year through tariff duties, imposed for the support of central and eastern industrial Canada. "We are not mendicants," he found it necessary to tell the East, in reply to suggestions that the West was coming to Ottawa with hat in hand begging for charity. He made it clear that the West was only asking for its share of the heavy tribute it has been sending to the East. He might have gone further and pointed to the provinces on the east of the Great Lakes, as constant supplicants for years at Ottawa asking government aid, direct and indirect, for their industries—and getting it, at the cost of the western consumer. "Talk about paternalism and spoon-feeding!" he might have said.

At least, Mr. Bennett and the East now know that the West is united and in earnest. They refused many of the specific requests of the West at the conference and granted some only in modified form. But it has been made comprehensible to them that more than 3,000,000 out of the 10,500,000 people of Canada are no longer complacently to be ignored, and that a "new deal" can not indefinitely be denied a place on the agenda. That is the achievement of Mr. Pattullo and the western Premiers he led to Ottawa—and it is a useful step to Canadian harmony.

REUPERATIVE POWERS

Restrictions upon trade, fluctuating exchange rates, debt difficulties, international fears and general political uncertainty are recognized brakes upon worldwide recovery. But business conditions throughout the world, faced with such a situation, have actually shown a moderate degree of improvement. This is interpreted as a remarkable tribute to the recuperative powers of the economic system.

Unfortunately for humanity's reputation for sagacity, however, it can not be interpreted as any kind of a tribute to our political and social sense. It has become commonplace to point to the fact that in our economics and our politics we have not kept pace with our advances in the technical field. Since before the war it has been apparent to competent observers that while we were living in a twentieth-century world as regards material processes, we were still in the eighteenth century as regards our international political concepts. They have been at the bottom of most of the trouble. They are the concepts that have been given expression to in the form of the brakes upon recovery to which we have referred.

It is a difficult thing to live half eighteenth century and half twentieth. How difficult—and incongruous—we are now being made to learn through our economic suffering. But in spite of all such fundamental difficulties in the way of recovery, our system is beginning to show it still has immense stores of vitality.

POOR WILHELM

Next Saturday the former Kaiser of Germany will be seventy-five years old. A dispatch from Berlin to-day says that monarchists intend to make use of the event to "sabotage the Nazi government." At least, this charge is made in the newspaper controlled by Hermann Goering, who, it is generally understood, is the power behind Chancellor Adolf Hitler.

The newspaper in question, published in Essen, the industrial home of the famous armament-manufacturing Krupp family, has demanded that all who are agitating for the return of the monarchy be rounded up and placed in concentration camps. Wilhelm's former court jeweler seems to have started things by saying that "except for winter relief, Germany would already have called the Kaiser back."

It appears also that the Pomeranian Stahlhelm leader has been putting his foot into it by remarking in a speech that "the Nazi movement is headed by men who failed in life."

In view of the suggestion in Goering's newspaper, it would seem that the National Socialists—the Nazis—are hatching some sort of scheme for a field day next Saturday just to get a few more oppositionists out of the way.

As long as the Nazis remain in control, of course, the chances of the "exile of Doom" ever getting back to his native land in his former role are about as remote as they could be. With a Hohenzollern on the throne, where would the Hitler-Goering crowd be?

Back of what is going on in Germany is the silent movement as represented by the Social Democrats, the real Liberals of that country. They are saying nothing now because they prefer to live rather than be "bumped off" by Hitler's "storm-troopers." Eventually, however, the dictatorship will vanish by the use of force—the creative medium of all dictatorships.

NOT EASY TO EMBARRASS

A member of one of the service organizations in Vancouver, the Active Club, told his fellow members on Tuesday night that the "youth" luncheon to Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett a couple of weeks ago was a political project promoted to embarrass the Prime Minister.

It is not our intention to argue that point. A picture of the assembly was taken and reproduced in one of the Vancouver newspapers, and it showed a very imposing gathering of young men and a goodly sprinkling of older folk. We can not conceive of them being there merely as part of a scheme to embarrass the Prime Minister of Canada. As intelligent representatives of British Columbia youth we would imagine they went to that luncheon in the hope that the head of the Dominion government would have a message of encouragement for them.

It already has been said, to put it mildly, that Mr. Bennett was a "disappointment." The audience listened to a dissertation on the history of money and a lot of well-rounded phrases which meant nothing at all. A request for bread brought forth a stone.

However, if the luncheon was promoted to embarrass the Prime Minister, it was, as it was foredoomed to be, a miserable failure. What does Mr. Bennett know about the aspirations of the youth of Canada? How far is he removed from the plain man in the street who is not sure about the origin of the next meal?

No, it would take more than a "youth" luncheon, sincerely promoted or promoted for political reasons, to embarrass the present Prime Minister of Canada.

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

ECONOMIC ROLE OF THE HORSE

The Christian Science Monitor

A bulletin of the Horse Association of America says that on March 1 there were some 15,250,000 horses on the farms. This is approximately 1,750,000 more than in 1930, though still about 4,750,000 fewer than in 1920. In those days the tractor was proudly showing its superiority to the horse by helping raise bumper crops, but to-day the horse is modestly showing his superiority to the tractor by helping the farmers dispose of them. A tractor has no subsequent interest in a crop, but a horse eats part of it.

DROPS HIS POLICE STAR

The Chicago Daily News

President Roosevelt was more indulgent to the memory of his old chief, Woodrow Wilson, than historically correct in describing the present administration's intervention policy as a supplementing and implementing of the Wilsonian policy toward neighboring states. The virtual declaration that henceforth the United States ceases to regard itself as self-appointed constable for the western hemisphere is a reversal of Wilsonian practice, if not of Wilsonian theory.

A U.S. CENTRAL BANK

The New York Evening Post

To restore to the government its essential sovereign right to control the dollar, Congress must combine the twelve Federal Reserve Banks into one central government bank. The government should deal directly with its central bank of issue by discounting its notes, just as a business man deals with his bank. Then new credit could be created to replace all, or part of, the \$20,000,000,000 of private bank credit which have evaporated during the four years of depression. Then the government need not resort to such questionable methods as placing fictitious values on gold and silver. Cash currency would be seen in its true light, as of little or no import.

DIFFICULTIES OF PEACE

The Providence Journal

Mr. Roosevelt says that "it is but an extension of the challenge of Woodrow Wilson for us to propose in this new generation that from now on war by governments shall be changed to peace by peoples." The phrase is a fine one and a memorable one, even if the processes by which the change shall be brought about are not entirely clear. How can ambitious and determined leadership be curbed by popular dissent? In the case of Germany, Herr Hitler, who is certainly ambitious and determined, finds the people going enthusiastically along with him. "Peace by peoples"—good enough? But it is not always easy to prove that leaders and peoples in the matter of aggressive aspirations are far apart.

A THOUGHT

Do ye not know that they which minister about holy things live of the things of the temple; and they which wait at the altar are partakers with the altar? I Corinthians ix. 13.

I do not envy a clergyman's life as an easy life, nor do I envy the clergyman who makes it an easy life. Samuel Johnson.

Loose Ends

Mr. Leacock takes a big bite—the literary vermin are crawling all over the place—Dickens is found to have at least one foot of clay—Sir Henry tries to sweep back the tide with a very small broom—here and there have the last laugh.

By H. B. W.

LARGE ORDER

MR. STEPHEN LEACOCK, who seems to be turning in his old age away from the trivialities of youth to more serious things, has written a biography of Charles Dickens. He asserts that Dickens is the greatest figure in British literature, far greater than Shakespeare, and will be so recognized in future. This is rather a large order. Still, you never know. You can't tell what history will say about Dickens or Shakespeare or anyone else. Perhaps it will forget them both and crown some fellow who is living among us to-day quite unknown and unappreciated. Perhaps most of the current great men will be hustled into the ash pile of antiquity within the next century.

That is why like Mr. Leacock should be careful. But he is not the only one. There is a whole tribe of literary critics abroad who make life miserable for everyone, with their opinions. I am voicing this humble but heart-felt appeal here and now for mercy from those people who are always after you to read something. They stop you on street corners. They interrupt you at work. They write letters to you, to say that you simply must read So-and-so's So-and-so, which is just off the press. By a simple calculation I have figured that if I read every book recommended to me I should require ten centuries without time off for sleep or meals, and by that time, no doubt a new list would have piled up. Since the depression it's particularly bad, because millions who never thought before have suddenly got an idea and insist on parading it, nude, in the streets.

And the patriotic fervor of these book worms! The burning loyalty to their authors! The spiritual exaltation! They leap upon you from ambush and fairly thrust their authors down your throat with all the enthusiasm of a Columbus who has just discovered a new world. You would think that no book had ever been written before, that the whole race had been illiterate to this moment. You would think that your life depended on reading So-and-so's So-and-so. You would think that the endurance of society at large rested entirely on it's reading of So-and-so's So-and-so.

IGNORE 'EM

YES, the world is fairly crawling with these little literary creatures, who have seen their little speck of light and imagine that no sun shines in the heavens. But this is the funny thing about them—you can safely ignore all their recommendations and never miss anything of note. I make it a rule never to read a book so recommended. I smile pleasantly and say, "I am passing on, and at the moment I am reading Carlyle, Burke and Cellini, whom I find far more up to date, and a good deal more amusing than the latest best sellers. No doubt many others are turned away from good stuff by the same annoying recommendations from fussy little people who have read one book and think they have seen through life. Up to now I have smiled pleasantly and passed on, but I am growing tired of it. When the next person stops me to say that I simply must read So-and-so's So-and-so, there will be another unsolved murder in Victoria.

POOR HUSBAND

DICKENS, by the way, turns out in Mr. Leacock's biography, as in all the recent revelations, as being a great author, but a total wash-out as a husband. His treatment of his wife is what you would have expected from Mr. Pecksniff and almost exactly the kind of treatment accorded by the eminent Mr. Jingle to the unfortunate old maid in Pickwick Papers. While that doesn't obscure his greatness as a writer, it is

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a little disillusioning in one who was the arch priest of the good old-fashioned virtues, a little disillusioning to find this pillar of Victorian respectability amusing himself after his moral writings in the intimate company of other ladies.

Probably it is just as well, after all, that the number of Dickenses is limited. Most men can't write like Dickens, but most of them are good husbands. On the whole, the latter is more important. If they were all like Dickens we should have an amusing world, but exceedingly unstable—full of genius, divorce and deserted children. Yes, we are better as we are. This is very comforting is it not, my friends?

GOING UP

THE CANADIAN Chamber of Commerce is sending Sir Henry Drayton and some other eminent pundits to tour the country in a campaign for reduced governmental spending all over Canada. This sounds fine; but it is a little pathetic. Actually, whatever Sir Henry can do (and he is an agreeable gentleman whose economics date from the Neanderthal period of human history), won't help much.

However he may argue, the cost of government in Canada is not going down permanently. It is going up and up. So are taxes. Inevitably they will mount and mount until our grandchildren will think nothing of paying three times as much as we do towards the state; but they will get three or four times as much back for it. Health insurance, unemployment insurance, better roads—all the equipment of a civilized country will cost us enormous sums which we don't spend now, but they will be worth it.

Instead of reduced governmental spending we need increased income to meet it. You can make up your mind to the inevitable fact that, while taxes may be cut here and there temporarily, they will ultimately go far above their present level, if we continue this form of civilization. But if your income rises proportionately, as it will under intelligent government, and if the burden is distributed according to ability to pay, this won't matter in the least.

LAST LAUGH

THE AMERICAN Bison Society, which apparently exists to mourn the loss of the great buffalo herds of the old days, is erecting three monuments to this vanished race, on the old Oregon Trail. It is ever the habit of men to mourn with a special sadness for those whom they have been most systematic in extinguishing. But in this case, the bison may yet have to be last laugh.

Far up to the north the bison herds are increasing. They are marching steadily into the Arctic, living where they have not lived before, founding a new and stronger race of buffalo than ever thundered beside the Oregon Trail. They will be safe up there. No one will bother them. They will go on increasing far beyond the rifle range of men.

But what the American Bison Society doesn't seem to realize is that, according to the best statistics, the human race in America, at its present rate, will reach a maximum during the next hundred years, and then start to decline. In the end, a few thousand descendants, it is entirely probable that there will be no men left on the Oregon Trail, only the monuments to the vanished herd of buffalo and the thundering herds of buffalo, who will have spread once more over the continent. The buffalo won't even bother to erect a memorial to the vanished humans. And this will be just and reasonable, will it not?

SIDE GLANCES

By George Clark



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THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By ALINE MICHAELS

POETRY OF A GIRL
She is something of a pagan.
She is something of a saint.
She is something of a flirt.
(As you might imagine) quaint.
She has moments touched with laughter,
Cruel as a nymph's could be.
Mocking at a luckless neighbor
From a fountain or a tree.
She has hours still and pensive,
Musing in a prayerful mood.
When all life, with fret and folly,
Seems a fleeting interlude.
She has days of virtuous brooding,
She has times of heartless mirth,
And the combination makes her
Quite the dearest girl on earth.

Twenty-five Years Ago To-day

THE VICTORIA DAILY TIMES,
JANUARY 25, 1909
(From The Times Files)

D. D. Mann, vice-president, and Col. A. D. Davidson of Toronto, both prominently identified with the Canadian Northern Railway Company, are in the city. They arrived yesterday and will interview the local government with regard to the construction of a line to the Pacific Coast.

Meats--Provisions--Delicatessen

CASH AND CARRY

Friday Money-savers

Breakdowns on the C.P.R. telegraph system on Vancouver Island are responsible for the shortage of telegraphic news in The Times to-day.

Ex-Mayor Ward of Cumberland is visiting his old home here.

Mistaking the Pachena light for that of Cape Flattery, the four-masted American schooner Sequoy, Capt. Henningsen, bound from Calico to Port Townsend, Washington, in ballast struck full on Sea Bird's reefs, opposite Pachena Bay, at 12:15 a.m. on Saturday. The wreck was attended by the loss of two lives.

Nelson, Jan. 25.—The ore shipments for the week are slightly below the general average, as the result of the recent spell of zero weather. A gold brick from the Sequoy, valued at \$4,000, was brought here during the week.

E. H. Piers, Dominion government inspecting engineer on the second fifty miles of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, arrived in Victoria yesterday on a business trip and registered at the Dominion Hotel.

Other People's Views

NOTICE!

The Times urges its correspondents to restrict their contributions to 400 words. It positively will not print lengthy communications.

These letters must be plainly written on one side of the paper only, and must be accompanied by the names and addresses of the writers, not necessarily for publication but as a guarantee of good faith.

Letters will not be re-written for publication. If they are not legible no attempt will be made to read them.

Letters not used will not be returned to the writers.

These rules, which henceforth will be carried out absolutely, are designed as much for the protection of our patient readers as for that of The Times.

WOMEN SHOULD ORGANIZE

To the Editor:—I was one of dozens who phoned Empire 4539 in response to the following ad. in The Colonist: "Capable mother and girl. Out on Bay. Part time duties." to be told the wages were six dollars a month.

The duties were housework, care of child and cooking for three mornings, commencing at 7:30, and four afternoons until bedtime, when one slept in to be ready for the next 7:30 a.m. The hours average around 200 a month and work out at about three cents per hour—\$1.00 for five days' work. With such a post, one must have a home and quite a few meals outside. After paying even seven car fares how much does the lucky person who gets the job have to her credit?

The wages offered are an insult to those women and girls who are forced to do housework for a living.

It is about time household workers in Victoria organized in order to secure a living wage. At present, certain women take advantage of the depression and cry economy when wages are mentioned but their economy begins and ends with the maid. I have worked for economy wages and given thirteen and a half hours daily hard work for \$15 a month, and in such case, when wages were paid the only economy was with the fuel used in the kitchen and the maid's food. The mistress could still afford to buy numerous fancy dresses and accessories, entertain as usual, play bridge, id golf and drive her car.

The very nice, tactful woman who interviewed me at the bureau told us that employers can't afford to pay good wages owing to taxes, etc. I reiterate that they take advantage of the fact that all kinds of women who previously held superior posts and had their own homes are now in the market for housework and they know they get

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fifty applicants or more for each post advertised—therefore, instead of playing the game they offer the smallest wage they can, knowing that many women have no friends and are simply forced to take what is offered or starve.

There is not even an attempt to make the work commensurate with the pay. A maid is never through until 8:30 or later in a home where late dinners are served, and she would not mind this if time were given her in the afternoon. At nine p.m. a maid is too tired to do anything but go to bed. Can you wonder a girl fights shy of domestic service?

Women will be on relief in greater numbers unless better wages are paid, because no women worthy of her salt is going to work indefinitely under such conditions. All decent women should have decent treatment, and if a woman works well and efficiently she should be paid accordingly.

I thought the Women's Council looked after the wage question for women. Some stores are allowed to pay girls under eighteen \$3.00 a week. The dividends paid by these stores are proof enough that living wages could be paid to the Canadian girl employees, but so long as women remain so pathetic, enough to let employers pay the lowest possible wage, so will they be exploited. Women should organize. They got the vote by sheer pugnacity, grit and striv-

ing. Let them organize and get living wages for themselves by the same means. We need a poet to write another "Song of the Shirt." A stirring poem could be written about the heroine who works for the noble sum of \$6.00 a month.

Trusting you will air this grievance for the sake of the down and out women of Victoria.

A WOMAN WHO HAS TURNED.

MAN'S NATURAL RIGHTS

To the Editor:—Some of man's handicaps may be classed as natural, yet they are but incidents compared to the purgatory he suffers from as a consequence of his artificial, or as it is called, civilized environment.

Man is endowed, however, "by his Creator" with certain inalienable rights, the primary and most important being the rights to produce and enjoy. Can it be that civilization in some way abridges the very rights it ought to make more secure and certain?

Man brings along with him a pair of lungs, so it is inferred that he has a right to breathe. He is equipped with a pair of hands and it shouldn't take a great deal of abstract reasoning to perceive their purpose is to labor as they are related to a stomach.

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Centre Shanks, lb., 8¢; Centre Plate Beef, lb., 8¢

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SOCIAL, PERSONAL AND HOME INTERESTS

The CLUB DIARY



Being a weekly preview of important club activities in Victoria

Friday, January 26

Eurydice Art Club rehearsal for "H.M.S. Pinafore" in Arion Club rehearsal hall, corner Broughton and Government streets, at 7 p.m. Members only. The W.A. of St. Mark's Church will hold a dance and social in the Parish Hall, Boleskine Road, Social at 8 o'clock and dancing at 9 p.m. Other amusements for those who do not dance.

Navy League W.A. business meeting, 230 p.m.

Saturday, January 27

Girls' Juvenile Orange Association social at Orange Hall, 230 p.m. Cathedral A.Y.P.A. concert at Memorial Hall, 8 p.m.

Monday, January 29

Annual meeting Victoria Business and Professional Women's Clubs at club-rooms, Metropolitan Building, 8 p.m.

Tuesday, January 30

Women's Auxiliary to Pro Patria Branch, Canadian Legion, social evening.

Wednesday, January 31

The Meistersingers present their premiere at Shrine Auditorium, 8:15 p.m. Items to appear in this column should be forwarded to The Times Club Diary Editor.

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Her Excellency in Regal Gown of Pale Blue Satin, With Gold

Canadian Press

Ottawa, Jan. 25.—The senate chamber to-day was a riot of color, the cordial interior decorations of the Upper House lending itself to the gorgeous gowns and uniforms of those assembled therein. The opening of Parliament, always a spectacle and a pageant, was not less so this afternoon.

Clustered beside and around the throne, on which the Governor-General sat, clad in gold-laced court dress, with white silken breeches and hose, were high-ranking officers of the navy, the army and the air force. In front, on the scarlet woolen carpet of the Supreme Court of Canada, the seats ordinarily occupied by the senators were crammed with notables.

HER EXCELLENCY

With dignity and charm the ceremony was graced with the presence of Her Excellency the Countess of Beaulieu, in a magnificent gown of pale blue satin mistral. The bodice was draped in surplice effect, with skirt cut on diagonal lines, with fullness to the back, falling in a short train. The court train from the shoulders of the same material was designed in godels and lined with cloth of gold.

Hon. Mrs. Gordon Ives, who attended her excellency, was in dark red velvet with trimmings of diamonds.

WOMAN SENATOR

Senator Cairine Wilson was in an afternoon dress of wool crepe in two tones, the skirt of deep brown and the bodice of bright red.

Mrs. Herbert Bruce, wife of the Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, was in

a smart gown of gold lame, with train of the same material. Mrs. Hugh Guthrie, wife of the Minister of Justice, wore a model of pale green crepe with a short train and surplice effect in the front.

Mrs. H. H. Stevens, wife of the Minister of Trade and Commerce, wore a marine blue model made on gracefully fitted lines.

Mrs. R. J. Manion, wife of the Minister of Railways and Canals, was in a Lanvin model of blueberry shade lace, made on simple lines with shoes to match.

Mrs. George Black, wife of the Speaker of the House of Commons, was in a Lanvin model of black chiffon, with diamante trimming.

Your Baby and Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

CHILD'S REFUSAL TO SWALLOW

DISTURBS MOTHER

A habit both annoying and frightening to the mother is the child's propensity to hold solid food in his mouth for a long time, and eventually spit it out without swallowing. If the child does try to swallow the food, choking may result.

METHOD OF PROTEST

There are many reasons for this habit. The child may be protesting against that maternal urging to take "just one more bit," which, being distasteful to him, is not willingly swallowed. Once having choked on the revolting mouthful and been entertained by the resulting emotions of his terrified mother, the child finds repetition of the act pleasurable.

Such a habit could only develop when the child is a pampered, overfed, underactive youngster, waited on hand and foot, and keenly alive to the worry he can cause his mother. He may be the unconscious victim of the pampering, since his muscles have no chance for exercise and the ability to swallow solid food successfully is linked up with his muscular development. The cure for such a habit is to increase the child's independence of his mother.

HOW THEY PIPE AWAY DULL CARE IN ENGLAND



They make and play their own pipes, these devotees of the Pipes of Pan, at Bedford College, London, Eng. The course they are attending was arranged by the Pipers' Guild "to further the craft, threefold, of making, decorating, playing, each player his or her instrument.

Self-feeding is a foremost step and sometimes the only one which is necessary to cure the habit.

PHYSICAL IMPEDIMENT

One mother pointed out that her boy's inability to swallow solid food without choking was caused by an over-large thymus gland. I have frequently discussed that physical cause. The gland is located in the upper chest and is largest in infancy. It diminishes as the child grows and is supposed to

have served its usefulness by the time puberty is reached. In some children it is so large as to cause temporary spells of suffocation, because it presses upon the respiratory organs.

As the esophagus is also crowded into the same space, an over-large thymus might impede the child's free swallowing and result in choking spells. This ought to impress the mother with the necessity for knowing her child's physical condition before she attempts any disciplinary measures to facilitate better swallowing. An X-ray of the child's thymus may be enormously enlightening and lead the way to speedy correction of this annoying habit.

To-morrow: "Creeping Is Important Activity"

RETURNS AFTER LONG ABSENCE

Roderick Begg Visits City He Left Forty-four Years Ago

After forty-four years absence, Roderick Begg, a former Victoria newspaperman, has returned to the city for a visit from New York.

Mr. Begg said he had been away from Victoria so long he had almost forgotten how beautiful it was but was now ready to make up for lost time.

In the eighties Mr. Begg was a member of The Daily Colonist staff, first in the editorial department, then as advertising manager, after which he went into the firm of Kerr and Begg, book and stationery dealers, with offices on Government Street, just south of Fort Street.

He went to New York and took up law, being admitted to the Supreme Court of the United States in 1908, going into partnership with two brothers.

Mr. Begg is honorary secretary of the New York Canadian Club.

He is accompanied here by Robert A. Begg, New Westminster, a brother.

IS DROPPED BY SOUTH POPLAR



MISS ISABEL MACDONALD

Canadian Press

London, Jan. 25.—Perhaps because of her father's break with the party at large, the Labor Party in South Poplar has rejected Miss Isabel MacDonald, eldest daughter of the Prime Minister.

Elected a member of the council of the London borough in 1931, Miss MacDonald's name does not appear in the list of the party's official candidates for the municipal elections to be held in all London districts next month.

Miss MacDonald may seek reelection as an Independent Laborite or possibly may run in some other borough.

PAWNEED JEWELS TO AID PRINCE

Mary McCormick's Investment in Mdivani Oil Concern Told in Court

Los Angeles, Jan. 25.—That Mary McCormick, the opera singer, and at that time the wife of Serge Mdivani, pawned her jewels for \$3,500 in order to advance \$5,000 to the Pacific Shore Oil Company, of which Serge and his brother, David, were officers-directors, was the testimony yesterday of Michael G. Luddy, president of the oil company for three months last summer, when it was thrown into receivership.

The two brothers are on trial in Superior Court here on grand theft charges, alleging the misapplication of more than \$30,000 in company funds.

Luddy testified that among the company's records he discovered a \$5,000 note payable to Miss McCormick, bearing the notation that only \$500 had been repaid. In a conversation with Serge, who later was divorced by the opera star, Luddy testified he learned Miss McCormick obtained \$3,500 from her jewels and that the balance of the advance was in the form of a \$1,500 personal cheque. Efforts of the state to introduce the note into evidence were defeated, however, when Judge Fletcher Bowron ruled it inadmissible.

Sister MARY'S KITCHEN

COFFEE RING AND CAKE, VIENNA LOAF, ROLLS, BUNS AND BISCUITS SAVE MENUS FROM MONOTONY

By SISTER MARY

Every housewife feels that the key to interesting and successful meals lies in variety. Meats, vegetables and desserts are carefully studied and planned in the effort to gain this end, but how frequently we defeat our own good intentions by overlooking the "staff of life"—bread and butter.

Bread and butter is such an everyday item in meals that the thoughtless inclusion of it has become a poor menu habit. In this day of less elaborate meals, more fruit and vegetables, fewer pies and puddings, why not select bread from the fifty possible different kinds with the definite end in view of obtaining the variety so necessary to satisfactory eating as well as to add that new and exciting note which is required for clever meals?

HOME-BAKING SIMPLIFIED

And how easy to do this! The local bakeries and food-stores display many kinds of delicious light buns, raised muffins, coffee cakes, tea rings and rolls and biscuits that need only reheating in a hot oven. Home-baking methods have been simplified so that the home-maker who likes to do her own baking occasionally can make these same light bread-stuffs without too much sacrifice of time and effort.

Perhaps fruit, coffee and toast is the regulation busy-day breakfast, but surely Sunday mornings deserve a special treat. One of the several kinds of coffee cake is just the thing or, if one prefers, a filled coffee ring rich with fruit. Even the everyday toast can be happily varied. With raisin bread, rye bread, the crusty Vienna loaf, or a number of whole wheat combinations to select from, toast can be quite intriguing.

Delicate butterfly buns, pecan rolls, or brown butter biscuits will save any luncheon from being commonplace.

With dinner, the substantial meal of the day, rolls are in order, but not just any rolls. Soft rolls such as Parker House and clover leaf, crispy, crusty French rolls, delicate, crackling Vienna rolls, crescents, poppy seed rolls and finger rolls; all variations of bread to be sure, but how much more appealing for their contribution to variety in texture, flavor and shape.

BREAD IN VARIOUS FORMS

Most of us never stop to think how difficult meal planning would be without bread. Buttered toast for breakfast; cinnamon-toast for tea; toast under a creamed dish for luncheon; croissants, applets and bread sticks for the soup course and for garnishing; apparatus

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| FRESH EGGS | Grade A, Large | 28c | Medium | 25c |
| CHATEAU CHEESE | 12 Spreads or Slices—1/2 lb. pk. | 11c | | |
| VALENCIA BUTTER | 3 lbs. | 85c | | |
| BREAD | White, Brown or Raisin | 4c | | |
| NABOB JELLY POWDERS | | 6 for | 25c | |
| SHELLED WALNUTS | (Limit 2 lbs.) Per lb. | 21c | | |
| TENDER GREEN PEAS | 3 tins | 28c | | |
| CHOICE GREEN BEANS | Each | 9c | | |
| ROYAL CITY VEGETABLE SOUP | 2 tins | 15c | | |
| "MILK-WHEAT" MACARONI | 3 lbs. | 18c | | |
| PINK SALMON | (Limit 6) Per tin | 5c | | |
| FELS NAPHA SOAP | 4 bars | 25c | | |
| LIFEBUOY HEALTH SOAP | 3 bars | 23c | | |
| BIG FIVE CLEANSER | 2 tins | 9c | | |

BUY AND SAVE AT VAUGHAN'S

THEY SAY THANKS WITH CASES OF WINE

New York, Jan. 25.—Mrs. Charles Sabin, head of the Women's Organization for Prohibition Reform, still is receiving dozens of cases of fine wines and liquors from grateful makers and importers. Mrs. Sabin sends the stuff to New York hospitals.

on toast for dinner; canapes made with toast, sandwiches, plain or toasted—all from the same every-day loaf.

Who would be satisfied with roast turkey or chicken without the stuffing? Scalloped oysters, meat loaf, croquettes, cutlets—all derive much of their personality from the bread crumbs used in or on them.

And now we have not even mentioned those old favorites, Apple brown Betty and chocolate bread pudding—two delectable mixtures made from the humble origin of bread crumbs.

The planning of attractive and acceptable menus is an art that can easily be achieved with a little effort. Thought and attention given to the place of bread in the menu will go a long way towards solving the problem of delightful variety in daily eating.

To-morrow's Menu

Breakfast: Pineapple juice, cereal, cream, bread crumb omelet, crisp toast, milk, coffee.

Luncheon: Creamed dried beef on toast, potato chips, celery and radishes, whirling rolls, marmalade, milk, tea.

Dinner: Baked filet or haddock, lemon butter, twice baked sweet potatoes, spinach and egg salad, apple fritters with maple syrup, milk, coffee.

Discuss Period Of Religious Wars

The fortnightly meeting of L'Alliance Francaise was spent in the discussion of the religious wars under the reigns of Henry II and Francis II, to which various members brought contributions of special interest. Mme. H. M. Archibald presided and introduced the subjects and the speakers; the period of forty years of bitter strife and bloodshed was given in graphic resume, and the life and times of Mary Stuart charmingly depicted by Mrs. Hamilton-Smith and Mrs. Little, the latter bringing many beautiful pictures to illustrate the discourse.

The life of Luther was reviewed by Miss Geache, and the life of Calvin also outlined. Madame Vivent spoke of the history of the Medici family, dealing with Lorenzo the Magnificent, and Julian, and their descendants, Marie and Catherine de Medici; this story will be continued at the next fortnightly meeting, which will be held on Monday, February 12, at the home of Mrs. D. A. Stanley, 1545 Richmond Avenue.

Mrs. Archibald announced the French lecture by Comte Jean de Suzannet, to be given at Victoria College on Saturday evening, January 27, at 8:15 o'clock, when the subject: "Through the Valley of the Rhone to the Riviera," will be beautifully illustrated and will deal also with the scenic charms of the French Alps and La Provence. Further information may be had by telephoning the secretary of L'Alliance Francaise, at E 4801.

AUNT HET

By ROBERT QUILLAN



"I've always hankered for a diamond ring, an' it would not cost Pa nothin' to give me one. The shock would kill me and he could trade it back in."

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B. L. Johnson Loses Mother

Vancouver, Jan. 25.—News has been received here of the death in Ocean Falls on Monday of Mrs. Johnson, mother of Commander B. L. Johnson of Vancouver. Mrs. Johnson, who was ninety-five, had resided in Ocean Falls for ten years. She is survived by two daughters, Miss Lydia and Miss Harriet of Ocean Falls, and one son, Commander Johnson of Dublin, also survives.

The remains are en route to Vancouver on St. Cathar's.

Coastwise Movements

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER

Princess Charlotte leaves Victoria for Vancouver daily at 2:15 p.m.; arrives Vancouver 1 p.m. Princess Alice leaves Vancouver daily at 10:30 a.m.; arrives Victoria 2:30 p.m. Princess Elizabeth or Princess Joan leaves Victoria daily at midnight; arrives Vancouver 7 a.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE

Princess Charlotte leaves Victoria for Seattle daily at 2:15 p.m.; arrives Seattle 4 p.m. Princess Alice leaves Seattle daily at 10:30 a.m.; arrives Victoria 1:30 p.m. Princess Elizabeth or Princess Joan leaves Seattle daily at 4:30 p.m.; arrives Victoria 7 a.m.

VICTORIA-FORT ANGELES

Princess Charlotte leaves Victoria for Fort Angeles daily at 2:15 p.m.; arrives Fort Angeles 4 p.m. Princess Alice leaves Fort Angeles daily at 10:30 a.m.; arrives Victoria 1:30 p.m. Princess Elizabeth or Princess Joan leaves Fort Angeles daily at 4:30 p.m.; arrives Victoria 7 a.m.

WEST COAST

Princess Charlotte leaves Victoria 11 p.m. on first, eleventh and twenty-first of each month for Port Angeles and way ports.

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CALL OF THE WEST

By R. G. MONTGOMERY

CHAPTER XXXVIII

Dona was up early and down to the corral before the rest of the camp was stirring. Malloy was nowhere in sight so Dona saddled the roan herself. She galloped up the slope toward Pass Creek.

She met the sunrise as she cantered out at the top of Pass Creek divide. The world below her on each side was hidden in a misty shadow. Only the ridge was aglow with the golden splendor of the sun.

Dona sat on her horse and looked down into the valley she was about to enter. She was sure adventure beckoned to her, sure that she would soon know the secret of all the trouble in the Three Rivers country.

The trail was rough and unused for a half mile. Then several trails joined it, apparently coming from above, but from different angles, and it became a beaten pathway that showed recent heavy use. Dona pushed on along this pathway for another half mile.

She began to grow uneasy as the trail widened. She would be sure to meet someone on so well marked a road. With a sudden feeling that she was about to come upon another rider she pulled out of the trail and took to the timber. This made the going slower.

She came to the edge of the clearing she sought, guided to the spot by the rear of a truck motor. The timber had become so heavy that it was impossible to see any trail marks or landmarks behind her. Dona thanked her luck that she had always had a keen sense of direction.

Dismounting she hid the roan in a dense growth of brush and berry bushes. Her next step was to push forward in the direction of the truck. The job of forcing her way through the brush was a difficult one for a slender girl, but Dona was determined to see what was going on.

She came to an opening in the trees and peered out. What she saw made her lips tighten. The clearing had once been piled high with cut lumber and poles. She could see the props and the planks they had been piled upon. Several thousand feet of lumber still remained. Two big trucks were loading from the remaining stacks.

Dona's eyes twinkled with anger as she watched the men at work. A heavy voice bellowed an order and Dona stepped back to see her father. She recognized that voice—Sverin was directing the work. It was plain that this timber was being sent out without checking if it was not being deliberately stolen by the boss.

Dona began to understand things more clearly than before. But she could not make up her mind. She must ride in and see her father. She would have a straightforward talk with him. If Sverin was stealing from the company he would meet with a lot of trouble.

She worked her way back to her horse and mounted. Her return was begun more carefully than her approach. She realized that if she was caught she might be dealt with roughly. Sverin

gin would not hesitate to keep her prisoner until he had finished his job. She kept off the trail until she was well up toward the top of the ridge. When she could see the pass ahead she cut across and located the pathway. Riding swiftly she topped the pass and halted. The roan blew noisily and pawed to be on his way, but Dona quieted him with a pat on the neck, for she was suddenly interested in the trail.

A stone rattled below and a branch snapped. Dona turned the roan and sniped from sight over the pass. Someone was riding up from below and it might be Sverin.

The roan trotted along eagerly while Dona watched behind her. A stone came rattling down into the trail from above and she glanced up the hillside. She caught a flash of a black horse and the wide Stetson hat of a rider. Her heart jumped wildly and she strained her eyes, but the rider had vanished above her.

Dona urged the roan a little faster and listened for sounds from above. She had the advantage in a race if she chose to let her horse out because she was on the trail and the man above was in the rough timber.

The rattling of stones from above became very distinct as her pursuer put his horse to a gallop to keep abreast of her. Dona's eyes suddenly lighted up. If that was Ball she would show him that he could not overtake her. She hated him thoroughly as she remembered how he had looked as he promised to stay out of the country.

Dona slapped the roan smartly with her quirt. He leaped down the trail and the race was on. They thundered out into a meadow and crossed it like a sweeping stampede. Dona caught sight of her pursuer breaking from the timber behind and to her right. He was bending over his horse's neck, urging it on. The black horse was flying along with an easy stride that made Dona sure Ball was pursuing her.

Into the timber the roan plunged while the black came clattering after. Dona smiled as she realized that her horse was equal to the black if not a little faster. She bent forward and urged the big fellow on.

The roan laid his ears back and let his stride out a trifle. Only a horse born and bred to the hill country could have kept his feet at such a pace on a rocky trail.

They shot out into another little meadow and Dona glanced over her shoulder. The black was still on her right, but was losing ground. Dona ducked low and used her spurs. The cowboy on the horse was pulling a rifle from under the flap of his saddle.

After that the race was real. Dona forced the roan to his fastest and held to what cover she could pick without leaving the trail. Her pursuer had ceased to try heading her off and was following along the beaten path. His horse, with solid footing, had ceased to lose ground. Strive as the roan would, he could not get away.

The camp was not so far away and that made Dona feel hopeful of

escaping. There was one more clearing to cross and she entered it lying flat on the roan's neck and urging him to his best speed. Behind her the black shot out into the open as he gave chase.

The rider was pursuing her close in his stirrups and raised his rifle. A bullet cut the dirt close to the roan's heels. Dona's lips drew tight and she strained forward as though to help her horse. Another bullet cut the dirt on the other side. These were warning shots and aimed to stop them, but she did not stop.

The third shot did not loosen a spurt of dust and Dona felt the roan falter. Her heart beat wildly and anger blinded her as her horse lurched to one side. The man behind her had wounded the roan. The big horse panted on but his stride was broken and rough and he was having trouble in breathing.

Dona eased up in her saddle and prepared for an attack. It was certain that her pursuer would overtake her now.

Another shot rang out, close behind this time. Dona did not look back but she knew her horse had been hit again. He broke and staggered, then before she could clear herself, he plunged forward and fell.

Dona swung one leg loose but could not free the other. The roan hit the ground and rolled over. A screaming pain shot through her right side, then a swirling blackness swept over her and all was still and blank.

To Be Continued

HOROSCOPE

The stars incline, but do not compel.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 26, 1934

Benefic aspects rule strongly to-day, according to astrology. It is wise to close up important business and professional affairs.

Women are well directed by the stars to-day, which encourages them to supreme activities in public and private life. Those who read the stars find in the pages of newspapers given up to social chronicles, in cinema since in times of extreme human need the pendulum of gaiety swings with great significance.

Before the Battle of Waterloo the people danced and again in the present battle for bread there are strange contradictions in human behavior, the stars point out.

Theaters should profit to-day, when there should be a turning toward entertainments of many sorts. New players are to gain fame this season.

Under this way engineers and contractors have the best possible planetary influences. Great enterprises are to be most successful. The stars smile on new waterways and new roads, for in the upbuilding of the nation transportation is to assume new importance.

In the evening of this day intellectual pursuits should be popular. Many lectures and forums are forecast.

There is a sign encouraging to advanced thinking and to progressive ideas that will shock conservatives of every brand. Persons whose birthdate it is have the urgency of a year of good fortune and promising opportunities. They should avoid all that leads to scandal.

Children born on this day probably will be exceedingly steady and reliable. Subjects of this sign succeed by common sense mingled with wit.

Among those who celebrate it as a birthday is Frank O. Lowden, 1861, statesman. (Copyright, McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

Primrose Lodge, Princess Lodge

Daughters of England, will meet to-

morrow evening at 7.30 in the S.O.E.

Hall.

To-night

5.30—Melody Train.

6.30—Arthur Hinder.

7.30—Victory program.

8.30—Piano Trio.

9.30—Dorothy Douthett at the piano.

10.30—Concert Melodist.

11.30—How far is a long journey?

12.30—Musical Miniature.

To-morrow

8.00—Top of the Morning.

8.15—Why is it the Intelligent American

lives in England than in the United States?—Harry Langley.

9.00—Burial Party.

9.30—By Request.

10.00—Silver Spoon Programme.

10.30—Band of the 68th Regiment.

11.00—Radio Theatre Guild.

11.30—Hands Across the Border.

12.00—Canadian Press news and weather forecast.

7.30—Dorothy Douthett's Orchestra.

7.45—Music for the Ordinary Listener.

8.00—Footstep Reveal.

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Saanich Trustees Face Difficult Problem in Financing This Year

A warning from the chairman of the finance committee that municipal and school grants would be reduced by more than \$24,000 this year and a preliminary draft of the 1934 estimates calling for \$4,562 more from municipal revenue than was received in 1933, yesterday evening gave notice to the Saanich School Board of the problems it will confront in conducting educational finances this term.

To indicate its desires for meeting the current year's financial situation in the municipality, the board referred the draft back to the secretary for further revision, with a view to at least reducing the amount required from the municipal treasury to the level of the 1933 figure.

LEVY INCREASED
According to the statement, the 1934 budget calls for \$88,992.51 from municipal levy for school purposes, as compared with \$84,429.77 actually received last year. The gross expenditure is estimated to be only slightly higher than that of 1933, being \$126,337.51 compared with \$126,041.44 actually spent last year. The former figure is made up of \$87,345.10 in grants and \$39,257 from the municipality and Craigflower School district.

It was made clear, however, that these estimates were only temporary and would probably be subjected to extensive revision before they are finally submitted for passing. Chief increases noted in this year's budget are for repairs and fire insurance. Last year all repairs on the high and elementary schools were cut to a minimum in order that the board might operate during the year in the full interests of economy. This year, however, while the board realizes the financial situation is little improved, it is deemed absolutely necessary that some repairs on the schools will be necessary.

Last year there was \$3,356.85 spent on this work, while the 1934 tentative estimates allot expenditures of \$6,037.50. The insurance is higher because of completion of Mount View High School last year and the placing of additional insurance on the building. There are several other premiums also falling due on remaining schools. This item is estimated to cost the board \$2,004, in comparison with \$791.50 last year.

SALARIES LOWER
There has been no indication of reductions in teachers' salaries, although this figure is slightly below that of last year. This reduction, however, is based solely upon the hope that substitutions and other minor cuts will not reach the 1933 figure.

Trustee Walter P. Jeune, chairman of the finance committee, warned the trustees of the impending curtailment of revenue from the government. Reeve Crouch had stated the council would lose an additional \$18,000 this year, while the school board would lose about \$6,000, he said. If it could possibly be prevented the board should not budget for more this year than in 1933 in the face of such a situation, he added.

Chairman W. W. Duncan and other members of the board agreed on this point and asserted every effort was to be bent towards effective reductions in the budget.

LEGION TO MEET ON SALT SPRING
Annual Meeting of Branch Will Be Held at Ganges on January 30

Ganges, Jan. 25.—The annual meeting of the Salt Spring Island branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., will be held at Harbor House on Tuesday, January 30 at 8 p.m. Matters of importance are to be discussed and all veterans in the district are expected to attend.

The annual meeting of St. Mary's Church Guild was held last week at the home of Mrs. T. M. Jackson, "Swallowfield Haven," Puffin Harbor, with eleven members present. The secretary-treasurer, Mrs. T. Charlesworth, presented a report of the year's work. Election of officers was as follows: President, Mrs. T. M. Jackson, re-elected; vice-president, Mrs. A. Davies; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. T. Charlesworth; committee, Mrs. J. Bryant and Miss Gladys Shaw. It is planned to hold a military 500 drive in the Institute Hall on April 19.

Ten hostesses were Mrs. Bryant and Mrs. G. E. Hamilton. Scoutmaster Freeman King of Sidney, on Sunday, accompanied by three rovers, visited Salt Spring and later viewed the scoutmaster, cubmaster and assistants at Puffin Harbor.

The Cubs will hold their first meeting in the Institute Hall on January 28, at 10:30 a.m.

Pile Sufferers
Can You Answer These Questions?

Do you know why external remedies do not give quick and permanent relief?

Why cutting does not remove the cause?

Do you know the cause of Piles is internal?

That there is congestion of blood in the lower bowel—the veins flabby, the parts almost dead?

Do you know that there is a harmless internal remedy for itching, bleeding or protruding piles discovered by Dr. Leopold, and known as HEM-ROID that is guaranteed?

HEM-ROID banishes piles by removing the cause. It stimulates the circulation in the lower bowel—drives out the thick impure blood, heals and restores the affected parts.

Dr. Leopold's HEM-ROID has an almost unbelievable record of success. So why waste time on external remedies or worry about an operation when McFarlane and Vancouver Drug Stores invite every Pile sufferer to try HEM-ROID with guarantees of money-back if it does not end their Piles, no matter how stubborn the case?

Foul Bay Opens Active Campaign To Protect Life

Enthusiastic Meeting in Hollywood Hall Solidly Behind Plan to Establish and Maintain Lifeboat; Youngsters Offer Aid and Will Erect Memorial Fountain in Park

Foul Bay residents are united in a community effort to establish a staunch lifeboat and life-saving equipment to prevent the recurrence of the tragedy of January 15 when two lives were taken as the toll of the storm.

The meeting which attracted nearly 150 persons and almost filled the Hollywood Hall yesterday evening launched steps for the creation of a memorial fund which will be devoted to the financing of the life-saving plans formulated in the district. The large number of young people present took a keen interest in the proceedings and contributed to the discussions.

One moment's silence was observed by the stanching audience in memory of Dr. Fred Harting, who lost his life in an heroic attempt to save the life of L. A. Hinder.

The objects of the gathering were outlined by Percy Wilson, president of the Foul Bay Community Association, who occupied the chair. W. F. Bridge acted as secretary.

An active programme is being drafted for the raising of the memorial fund. A number of those attending willingly offered their services as canvassers. Additional money will be raised by a series of concerts, dances and card parties. A number of the big entertainments it was announced by the chairman, will be held in the Shrine Auditorium.

RECOMMENDATIONS
Three basic recommendations were adopted in the form of resolutions as follows:

1. Provision of a lifeboat with complete life-saving equipment and erection of a lifeboat on a suitable site at Foul Bay as a memorial to the late Dr. Fred Harting, who lost his life in an heroic attempt to save the life of L. A. Hinder.

2. Institution of life-saving courses to embrace volunteers under the supervision of an experienced instructor.

3. Opening of a subscription list for the purpose of raising funds to finance the suggested life-saving proposals.

Dr. T. M. Miller, Percy Wilson and O. A. A. Henders were elected to act as trustees having control of the memorial fund.

The executive of the Foul Bay Community Association was appointed to act as a special committee to work out the various details of the scheme, with power to add to its number.

REIMBURSEMENT
The suggestion of helping to reimburse those who were out of pocket because of medical fees and other losses arising out of the recent tragedy, was introduced by Mr. Payne, and aroused considerable discussion.

Mr. Payne said it had been brought to his attention that a number of persons who had unselfishly assisted in the rescue work, had suffered financially because of it. Some had required hospital treatment, and it had cost one man he knew \$25 to replace a pair of glasses.

Mrs. F. W. Baylis suggested that the question of raising the money for the life-saving equipment should be the first consideration.

A motion submitted by Roy Heaton to the effect that if funds permitted, help be given from the fund to pay the expenses of those out of pocket through rescue efforts, failed to secure a second, and Mr. Payne ruled that the matter be left in abeyance.

Correspondence was read by the secretary from F. W. Kemp, offering what assistance he could give to the cause, and from J. A. Gilbert of Saanichton, offering to design a boat, and suggesting a double-ended, eighteen-foot power lifeboat.

Arthur J. Groves wrote offering the new Belmont ballroom for the staging of a dance for the purpose of raising funds. These matters were referred to the committee for action.

Albert Bevan informed the meeting that the executive committee of the Foul Bay Junior Community Association was prepared to turn the receipt of the organization's first annual dance over to the memorial fund.

KIDDIES TO HELP
The children of the Foul Bay district, many of whom were friends of Dr. Harting, have offered to subscribe to a fund for the erection of a water fountain in the new Hollywood Park in memory of the heroic dentist, it was announced by Mr. Payne.

"The suggestion of these little tots has touched me deeply," said Mr. Payne. "They want to do it themselves, and they are asking us the privilege of being permitted to do it."

Some of the youngsters of the district, eager to do their bit, are putting on magic lantern shows at their homes with the intention of contributing the pennies so received to the fountain fund.

Charles Ellis suggested it would be a good idea to have the names of those who played such a heroic part in the rescue engraved on the park fountain. Lincoln Smith, managing-director of Ship Chandlers Limited, offered to supply without profit to the firm all materials required in the construction of a lifeboat, and Thomas Dalzell offered his help in the building of the craft. Both were thanked for their generous offers.

CHANGING OF NAME
The question of again changing the name of Foul Bay was revived by Mr. Payne. The change to Harting Bay, in memory of the late Dr. Harting, was suggested by Mrs. William Grant. It was pointed out that recommendations had already been given to the Geographical Board to change the name of Chinese Point, where the tragedy occurred, to Harting Point. The consensus of opinion, however, was that the doctor's name should be perpetuated by naming the bay after him. On the suggestion of Mr. Bevan the matter will again come up for discussion at the meeting of the Foul Bay Community Association. It was suggested from the floor of the hall that the aid of the government be sought with a view to taxing boats to cover the cost of life-saving equipment, but Mr. Grant pointed out that the Dominion government had full control of the water and that boats were already taxed.

Mr. Grant expressed the view that

Plans Are Discussed at Meeting in Crystal Garden and Committee Appointed to Continue Work; Need of Equipment Along Waterfront Is Recognized

That there is immediate need of the establishment of some type of life-saving stations and equipment along the shore here to prevent the recurrence of sea tragedies was the unanimous opinion of speakers addressing a meeting with this object in view, at the Crystal Garden last evening. About thirty people attended. George McGregor presided.

In his opening remarks the chairman stressed the fact that the waters from Clover Point to Ten Mile Point, off Discovery Island, were exceptionally dangerous, and even with expert navigators mishaps might easily happen. He favored the establishment of lifeboat stations as a preventative move against further tragedies.

In order that preliminary steps in the organization of such a body may not be delayed the following committee, with power to add, was named: H. C. Gillie, chairman; W. T. Stanton, Victoria Branch Royal Life-Saving Society; Major F. V. Longstaff, Dr. A. G. Price, Capt. J. A. Phillips, deputy harbor master; Capt. A. M. Davies; Capt. M. D. Harbord, president Vancouver Island Swimming League; Capt. G. Kirkendale, harbor master; H. R. Fletcher, Clover Point Anglers' Association; and J. W. E. A. Barclay.

MAJOR SUPPORTS MOVE

Speaking in support of the move, Major David Leeming said he felt sure that, with the proper organization, stations could be established on the coast. He spoke of being approached on the question of aiding those in distress, and while he could not speak for the City Council, he had much pleasure in supporting the movement.

Major F. V. Longstaff said he felt that with co-operation from the many organizations in the city it would be quite an easy matter to establish a station to effect the greatest safety, with the greatest economy.

B. C. Gillie, stated that his organization was willing to assist the more in any way possible. Being composed of the greater part of young men, he felt that the club could not offer much practical assistance, but would aid financially. A dance was being staged at the Empress Hotel on February 16, and at the Palais de Danse to-night by the Revellers' Club, and the proceeds in both instances will be given toward the movement for safeguarding the shores.

Capt. M. D. Harbord appealed for volunteers to assist in the erection of a lifeboat. He suggested the erecting of huts along the shore, the placing of lifeboats and first-aid equipment, and alarms in the huts connecting with police headquarters.

TRAINED MEN NEEDED
Capt. J. A. Phillips, deputy harbor master, stressed the importance of trained men to handle the boats, proper equipment and coast watchers. "We should all put our shoulder to the wheel so some good can be done," said W. T. Stanton.

H. R. Fletcher said he was strongly in favor of the formation of a life-saving body. He felt that lifeboats with long ropes, and lifebelts, should be placed along the coast line as a means of safety and aid for those in distress.

Dr. A. G. Price, Capt. Jacobson and Capt. A. Davies spoke briefly.

K. R. Geun, one of the men responsible for the calling of the meeting, acted as secretary. He spoke briefly and urged immediate action in the formation of an organization which would be the master of the matter, giving aid to those in distress.

Power Shutdown In Saanich Area

Announcement is made by the engineering department of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company Limited, that the electric power will be shut off to-morrow from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. in the following districts: Bazan Bay, Breeds Cross Road, Experimental Farm, Sidney, Swartz Bay, School Cross Road, Bradley-Dyne, Patricia Bay and Deep Cove. This shut-down is necessary in order that repairs may be made to the transmission line.

BOY SCOUTS

At a well-attended annual meeting of St. Paul's First Scout Troop and pack held in the Scout Hall, the following officers were elected: President, Rev. Alan Gardiner; vice-president, Mrs. W. Peatt; honorary treasurer, J. W. Kinch; honorary secretary, W. E. A. Barclay; committee, Messrs. M. G. Cadwallader, Kennedy, Kinch and Wilcox.

It was decided the present policy of financing the overhead of the Scout Hall was unsatisfactory. Money has been raised by dances, teas and parties, and it was estimated that this method was extremely burdensome, as profits were small after the necessary expenses had been paid. The overhead of the hall, consisting of taxes on the lot and building, light, fuel, fire insurance and necessary repairs amounts to about \$250. Extra expenses connected with special grants to the troop or pack are \$20, making a total necessary revenue of \$270. It was estimated it would cost each Scout and Cub \$1.25 per month, or \$15.00 per year the sum of \$250 would be assured, and with a few donations from interested friends, this would be sufficient to pay the overhead.

SCOUTS ASSIST WITH MAIL
Scouts of Annapolis, B.C., repeated their annual Christmas good turn of assisting the mail delivery.

The purchase of a suitable boat might be cheaper than having one built. While lauding the commendable plans in hand, he spoke of the difficulties to be experienced in launching a lifeboat in Foul Bay, and the danger of not having an experienced crew. "In a southeast gale," he said, "Foul Bay is one of the worst places of water around here."

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PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

for the Year Ending December 31st, 1933

Surplus Funds as at December 31st, 1932, consisting of:

General Investment Reserve - \$1,200,000.00
Free Surplus for Contingencies - 4,157,523.97
\$5,357,523.97

INCOME

Premiums (net) - \$18,425,768.43
Interest and Rents (after further deduction of \$424,952.04 for possible loss of interest on Farm Mortgages) - 6,646,054.12
Supplementary Contracts - 2,641,927.23
Profit and Appreciation on Ledger Assets - 82,405.89
\$27,796,155.67

EXPENDITURES AND RESERVES

Death and Disability Claims, Matured Endowments, Surrendered Policies, Supplementary Contracts, etc. - 12,918,895.97
Increase in Actuarial Reserve and Amounts Left on Deposit - 6,225,008.00
Commissions, Taxes and General Expenses - 3,320,637.80
Loss and Depreciation on Ledger Assets - 190,594.95
Amounts Written Off Head Office Premises - 50,000.00
22,705,136.72

Surplus Earnings for Year - \$5,091,018.95

Special Charges:

Additional Specific Reserve against Loss of Principal on Mortgages and Sale Agreements - 227,116.61
Amounts Written Off Book Value of Bonds as Provision for Possible Losses - 603,964.63
831,081.24

Net Amount Transferred to Surplus Funds - \$4,259,937.71 \$4,259,937.71

TOTAL - \$9,617,461.68

Deduct:

Surplus Paid or Allotted to Policyholders - 4,092,193.61
Surplus Funds as at December 31st, 1933, consisting of:
General Investment Reserve - \$1,200,000.00
Free Surplus for Contingencies - 4,325,268.07
5,525,268.07

Outstanding features of 1933 Statement

Assurances in force INCREASED to - \$518,521,336.00
New Assurances paid-for - \$40,838,608.00
Total Assets INCREASED to - \$138,912,507.58
Dividends To Policyholders (Annual and Deferred) \$4,406,797.20
Special Reserves and Surplus Funds available for Contingencies - \$11,917,520.04

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RECORD OF PROGRESS

| Year | Assets | Business in Force | Dividends Paid to Policyholders | Total Payments to Policyholders |
|------|---------------|-------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1893 | \$2,570,821 | \$17,751,107 | \$63,901 | \$212,828 |
| 1913 | \$22,252,724 | \$87,392,027 | \$355,688 | \$1,396,445 |
| 1933 | \$138,912,508 | \$518,521,336 | \$4,406,797 | \$17,391,769 |

The 64th Annual Meeting of the Policyholders will be held on Thursday, February 1st, 1934, at the Head Office, Waterloo, Ontario.

R. O. McCulloch, President.

W. H. SOMERVILLE, General Manager.

ing in the delivery of the heavy Christmas mail throughout the district.

LEICHTENSTEIN SCOUTS

The Boy Scouts of the principality of Liechtenstein have been recognized by the Scout International committee. This makes a total of forty-eight Scout groups in the world.

CHRISTMAS FOR SARCES

A colorful Christmas happening was the presentation of gifts by Calgary Scout leaders to Indian children on the Sarcee reservation, in the presence of Chief Joe Big Plume and a large gathering of braves and squaws. In gay blankets and shawls, a Union Jack flew from the skeleton framework of a summer teepee.

SANTA OVER HOUSETOPS

The belief that Santa Claus comes down the chimney of every household was fully confirmed last Christmas for the kiddies of 150 families on home-

steads in northern Saskatchewan. The old gentleman was caught in the act.

He was disguised as an airways pilot. He had filled his bag at Santa's Boy Scout-Girl Guide workshop in Saskatoon.

CLIMBING SCOUTS

Five Rover Scouts of the 14th Hampshire (London) crew while hiking in Corsica last summer, successfully scaled Monte Cinto, the island's 9,000 foot peak.

SAILORS AID MALTA SCOUTS

As the result of a suggestion of the Prince of Wales, Admiral Sir William Fisher of the Mediterranean fleet stationed at Malta, has invited ships of the squadron to become "patron ships" to Malta Scout groups. The sailors will give the Scouts an occasional hour in a boat, an occasional day at sea, occasional lectures, instruction in knot-tying, splicing, signalling and astronomy, occasional games of football or field hockey, and occasional fund-raising entertainments.

FLOOR GIVES WAY; 400 PEOPLE FALL

Portsmouth, Ohio, Jan. 25.—More than fifty persons were injured at Scleroville, a suburb of this city, yesterday evening, when the floor of an ancient building fell fifteen feet into the basement, carrying 400 worshippers of a Pentecostal Church congregation with it.

Firemen and volunteers poured water into the suddenly formed vortex. Scores of residents, aroused by the cries of the congregation, aided in dragging out the injured and speeding them to hospitals in Portsmouth. At least five persons were injured seriously.

Richly Human Side Of Burns Is Shown

Nobility of Scotland's Bard
Featured in Scholarly Address By William McNeill at Anniversary Banquet; Traditional Foods and National Music Contribute to Success of Function

Hearts of Scotsmen stirred yesterday evening, stirred as the native purple heather under a highland breeze, as members of the Burns Club of Victoria again commemorated the undying memory of their immortal bard.

They had met and they could eat and they were truly thankful as they and their ladies sat down to the traditional banquet, about 300 strong, in the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium. And when the cockle-leekie soup had lubricated throats for a more resonant pronunciation of the "Jock" toast, bubbly jock w' trimmin's, chapit tauties and green peas had filled the inner man, they rose to observe new history as the royal Scotch haggis to the skirling of Pipe Major Donald Cameron's pipes.

They ate their apple pie w' frostit cream, they drank their tea or coffee, and then they charged their glasses with barley bree or soor-dook and rose for the toasts of the evening.

GREET THE HAGGIS

Highlanders and Lowlanders, some in kilts and some in dinner jacket, and bonny lassies, with their sprigs of heather, alike acclaimed the piping of their minstrel with the enthusiasm Scots alone can show for that music. Many a hoot rent the air as the artists presented their excellent numbers, but when William McNeill, brother of the famous Rev. John McNeill, a resident of British Columbia for the last forty years, rose to speak, there was no sound but occasional bursts of rich laughter at the clever stories of the guest of the evening.

Spicing his scholarly but human discourse with a rich humor, Mr. McNeill proposed the toast of the "Immortal Memory of Robert Burns."

It became increasingly difficult, with each anniversary, to find something new to say about Robert Burns, whose admirers increased with the years, the speaker remarked.

There was neither point nor profit in recapitulating the events of the life of Burns. Equally difficult was it to generalize on the diverse characteristics attributed to him by the multiplicity of his biographers, the speaker noted.

"Robert Burns is what you and I think of him, not what his biographers tell us," Mr. McNeill declared.

The true biography of Burns had yet to be written, he said, noting Burns was exceedingly unfortunate in his biographers.

LIFE OF WARNING
His life had been upheld more as a warning than as an inspiration—a warning against the squandering of great gifts through lack of self-control.

"That manner of man was this that his memory was observed so long after. Burns had struck a chord in human hearts that would ring and reverberate throughout time as long as humanity existed, the speaker said.

Where should he be placed? It was too late to place him anywhere, Burns had been enshrined in the ranks of the immortals, in the Hall of Fame, he said.

His figure grew more colossal as he receded from living man.

In spite of all the belittlements of some of his critics, and in spite of the more deadly panegyrics of his friends, the songs of Burns went singing down the ages.

Mr. McNeill quoted Scotland's bard to show the grand fellowship of man Burns so ardently sought.

With such a spirit shown in his works, the wonder grew over the diversity of opinion on the man. But that, in itself, was a tribute. Critics had tried to fit Burns in their own niches. Burns had burst from them in the glory of his wide and great gifts.

At the death of Burns, the general opinion was his poems were the songs of a ploughman and a peasant, and written for such.

The fallacy of that lay in the inability of his biographers to divorce their views from the narrow outlook which never permitted them to see Burns except as a man of lowly origin, Mr. McNeill stated.

Those critics were too near, they were too familiar with his faults.

Had his life been as obscure as those of Shakespeare, Chaucer and Homer, his biographies would have been different, Mr. McNeill felt.

Subtly the speaker pointed to the Scottish habit of fault finding and gossip.

"I make bold to affirm that the songs of Burns were not written by Burns the ploughman. They were the emanations of a mind so great that

when he touched them, the little commonplace things became ennobled with a nobility that has never left them."

"No, no, Burns was a cultured and educated gentleman who could and did meet his peers and held his own," the speaker said.

Poor with a grinding poverty, Burns, with his genius, transcended his obstacles. That was a characteristic of the race that had sent out from the ranks of the poor men and women who enriched every phase of life.

BURNS AND THE CLERGY
"Would you defend Burns in his satires on the church and clergy?" he asked.

Before replying he stated it was impossible to picture the conditions of Scotland in the days of Burns.

Then, the clergy was a race set apart, a race revered and feared. They were not so much God-fearing men as God-fear inspiring men who shook the souls of the congregation over the bottomless pit, and let some of them drop in, when they preached sermons.

The discipline of the church was called upon Burns. He replied with his well-known satirical verse. Burns used ridicule, and ridicule was a powerful weapon in the hands of the master.

"Do you suppose these satires were merely the expression of revenge on the church?" he asked. "If they were, at least the cause for these satires lay in the evident faults of the church at the time," he added.

"Was Burns a religious man?" Whether or not he was a sectarian, the speaker refused to believe he was not religious in view of the spirit expressed in "The Cottier's Saturday Night."

He made no effort to take over the moral lapses of Burns. He merely pointed to the tribunal before which Burns was tried. Burns was a victim of the martyrdom which Scots liked to see so much, particularly when it was not inflicted on themselves.

Mr. McNeill did not condone moral lapses, but over the man Burns he threw the mantle of charity.

Hon. Mr. Justice M. A. Macdonald expressed his delight at renewing fellowship with his fellow members of the Burns Club of Victoria and expressed his pleasure at the return to health of John Hosie, president.

On behalf of the club he expressed thanks to Mr. McNeill for his magnificent address.

Perhaps, the speaker said, the diversity of biographical comment might be compared to the different beautes of a mountain seen from many sides. Had Burns lived to-day in British Columbia, he would have sung again the songs of freedom, now from economic hardship, and the songs of lyric beauty which were his.

"THE LASSIES"
For the twelfth time, John Hosie, president, rose to propose the toast to "The Lassies." It had been a great year for women. He declared, noting in the realms of literature a Scottish woman had achieved great success. During the war, a woman had been admitted to the Stock Exchange and several had been admitted to the bar. Marriages had increased in number. Mr. Hosie noted, before contrasting Stalin's move to bring women out of their shells to Hitler's action to urge them to get back into the home. In conclusion he spoke of the fine work of women in the club who gave solace to ill members.

Responding for "the Lassies," Mrs. W. A. Jameson expressed her pleasure at answering the remarks of the president, "an extremely bashful young man," who in one respect at least was like the Prince of Wales. Briefly she referred to the inspiration Burns had found in the "lassies" and spoke of the happiness the lady members of the Burns Club experienced in assisting the men.

Pride in the natural resources of British Columbia was voiced by Dr. M. J. Keys in his toast to the province. He cited figures to indicate the greatness of these assets before speaking on the Scottish origin of many of British Columbia's pioneers.

Dr. Keys referred to the similarity between the West Coast of Scotland to that of the Columbia coast.

In reply, Hon. A. Wells Grey, acting Premier, spoke briefly of the high regard in which Victoria was held by the mainlanders. It should be made the show place of British Columbia, he believed. He hoped the time would come in the life of the present government when the Legislature would accept some of its responsibility in helping the city with its beautification.

The government realized its responsibilities. The citizens should also recognize theirs by seeing the government did its work.

He voiced a plea for empire preference for goods which were not manufactured in British Columbia or Canada.

THE VICTORIA CLUB
Tribute to the Burns Club of Victoria was voiced in the toast proposed by Col. Ross Napier and expressions of appreciation for his remarks and for the delightful selections contributed by artists of the evening were made by J. Dewar in reply.

The programme was admirably interspersed with numbers of Scottish music, including Highland songs and dances as well as two recitations of poems written by John Hosie. They were "The Arbutus" and "God's Tapestry." Both were given splendid renditions by Miss E. Morbey.

Another pleasing feature of the evening was the singing by W. C. Fyfe of "When the Mist Comes Down the Mountain," a Scottish song composed by Col. Ross Napier.

The complete programme included the song, "There Was a Lad," led by Mr. Fyfe and sung by the gathering, the vocal selection, "The Border Ballad," contributed by Miss Marjorie Watson, and "Snean Truibhas," danced by Miss Adeline Grant, the song, "The Road to the Isles," by Mrs. W. H. Wilson, and "Lochnagar," rendered by H. Ruffell, a vocal duet, "Willie's Gane tae Melville Castle," by Miss Watson and Miss Mitchell, and "The Birks of Aberlady," by F. Spooner, Highland piano selections admirably presented by Mrs. J. P. Jaffray, the song "O For the Bloom of My Ain Native Heather," by Miss Mitchell, "Whistle an' I'll Come the Ye My Lad," by Mrs. Wilson, "The End of the Road," by Mr. Ruffell, "The Auld Scots Sings," by Miss Marjorie Watson, Highland dancing by Miss Adeline Grant, "Scottie Was Hae," sung by the company, "My Ane Polka," by F. Spooner, and "Willie No Come Back Again," sung by the company under the direction of Mr. Fyfe, "Auld Lang Syne" and "God Save the King."

FRENCH FIGHTER WINS
Paris, Jan. 25.—The French light heavyweight, Emile Leblanc, out-pointed Jimmy Tarant, American negro, in a ten-round bout here tonight.

On the bard's views on the church, the speaker pointed out Burns' latent cant and hypocrisy, and it may have been his attitude was necessary in the time that he lived, but it could never be said Burns was an irreligious man.

In addition to reviewing the life of Burns, Mr. Roddan showed a series of lantern slides of some of the historic places of Scotland. Among these were some of the spots mentioned by Burns in his famous works.

In conclusion the speaker outlined what his church in Vancouver was doing toward care of the poor and needy. Rev. S. Howard presided.

MAN'S NATURAL RIGHTS
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which requires feeding, a body which requires warmth and a head which requires the shelter of some kind of roof. So he has a natural right to labor. But on what? The surface of the globe—natural resources. That is his inalienable right. The power which deprives him of that right, invites and deserves disaster.

In the savage state there seems to be fewer prohibitions than in the civilized. In the former, man's difficulties are all with natural forces. He manages in a rude way to supply his own wants. Natural resources being free, he makes his own weapons, hunts, fishes and gathers nature's fruits without tolls, taxes, interest or tribute of any kind whatsoever. He is a good provider and, compared with the depressed and dependent worker of our vaunted civilization, he is half-a-dozen

expert mechanics and a natural gentleman rolled into one.

Of course he has no smooth highways; he has to wade through mud or swim streams, etc., but among his compensations are independence, self-reliance and initiative, unknown to his class in a machine age. He owns himself, he owns his job and he knows nothing of depression.

Our machines and labor-saving devices—if government had the gumption to confine itself to its proper sphere of action and not tamper with natural law and liberty—would automatically increase wages and shorten hours.

Man has the same right to produce with his hands as to breathe with his lungs; he has the same right to trade his products with dwellers on the other side of the globe as with his next door neighbor. Grant him, or cease withholding from him, these rights and there is no limit to the progress he will achieve; deny him these rights and you make of him, sooner or later, a coward, slave and a trespasser in the land of his birth.

Past legislation has not respected man's natural rights. The results are clearly tragic. The moment for a showdown is fast approaching. The sooner the remedy is applied the safer it will be for all concerned. All privileges must be withdrawn. If civilization is to continue upward and onward, instead of declining and falling, confiscation of economic rent by the few must cease.

Political economy in all its deductions accords with man's natural rights; these admitted and facts followed, it becomes as clear, simple and undeniable as the multiplication table.

ALEXANDER HAMILTON.
1034 Fairfield Road, City.

BURNS'S LIFE IS DESCRIBED

Saw Beauty of Scottish Life, Says Pastor in Address on Great Bard

"A child of nature who interpreted the finer things of Scottish life as no other son of Scotland has even done, was the way in which Rev. Andrew Roddan, pastor of the First United Church of Vancouver, described the immortal Scottish bard in an address at the Centennial Church yesterday evening on "The Life and Work of Robert Burns."

"Burns' eyes," he said, "were open to the beauty of life. Other eyes have looked upon the banks of braves of Bonny Doon, but they just saw it, and set it down in song. In the favorite old song, 'Auld Lang Syne,' the fine and noble sentiment of the bard was demonstrated, and he gave the world a new feeling of kinship with that grand old tune."

Mr. Roddan called Burns a true patriot and a true philosopher. A characteristic Scot, he was independent, a lover of truth and a lover of freedom, which he demonstrated in poems against the injustice of conditions during his life.

On the bard's views on the church, the speaker pointed out Burns' latent cant and hypocrisy, and it may have been his attitude was necessary in the time that he lived, but it could never be said Burns was an irreligious man.

In addition to reviewing the life of Burns, Mr. Roddan showed a series of lantern slides of some of the historic places of Scotland. Among these were some of the spots mentioned by Burns in his famous works.

In conclusion the speaker outlined what his church in Vancouver was doing toward care of the poor and needy. Rev. S. Howard presided.

MAN'S NATURAL RIGHTS
(Continued from Page 4)

which requires feeding, a body which requires warmth and a head which requires the shelter of some kind of roof. So he has a natural right to labor. But on what? The surface of the globe—natural resources. That is his inalienable right. The power which deprives him of that right, invites and deserves disaster.

In the savage state there seems to be fewer prohibitions than in the civilized. In the former, man's difficulties are all with natural forces. He manages in a rude way to supply his own wants. Natural resources being free, he makes his own weapons, hunts, fishes and gathers nature's fruits without tolls, taxes, interest or tribute of any kind whatsoever. He is a good provider and, compared with the depressed and dependent worker of our vaunted civilization, he is half-a-dozen

expert mechanics and a natural gentleman rolled into one.

Of course he has no smooth highways; he has to wade through mud or swim streams, etc., but among his compensations are independence, self-reliance and initiative, unknown to his class in a machine age. He owns himself, he owns his job and he knows nothing of depression.

Our machines and labor-saving devices—if government had the gumption to confine itself to its proper sphere of action and not tamper with natural law and liberty—would automatically increase wages and shorten hours.

Man has the same right to produce with his hands as to breathe with his lungs; he has the same right to trade his products with dwellers on the other side of the globe as with his next door neighbor. Grant him, or cease withholding from him, these rights and there is no limit to the progress he will achieve; deny him these rights and you make of him, sooner or later, a coward, slave and a trespasser in the land of his birth.

Past legislation has not respected man's natural rights. The results are clearly tragic. The moment for a showdown is fast approaching. The sooner the remedy is applied the safer it will be for all concerned. All privileges must be withdrawn. If civilization is to continue upward and onward, instead of declining and falling, confiscation of economic rent by the few must cease.

Political economy in all its deductions accords with man's natural rights; these admitted and facts followed, it becomes as clear, simple and undeniable as the multiplication table.

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GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT

Notice of Application for Beer License

Notice is hereby given that on the 12th
day of February next, the undersigned in-
tends to apply to the Liquor Control Board
for a license in respect of premises being
part of the building known as "Ye Old
Four Mile House," situated on Island High-
way, near Victoria, upon the lands de-
scribed as Lot No. 12 of Section 3, Regional
District, Plan 3728, in the Province of
British Columbia, for the sale of beer by
the glass or by the bottle for consumption
on the premises or elsewhere.

Dated this 11th day of January, 1934.

JOHN STOTT,

Applicant.

OUT OUR WAY

UPTURN SEEN
IN BUSINESS

Bank of Nova Scotia Monthly
Review Shows Upswing in
B.C. Industries

Canadian Press

Toronto, Jan. 25.—Marked upturn
in Canadian business was noted in the
monthly review issued by the Bank
of Nova Scotia. The upturn, the re-
port stated, became general in May
1933, and was "well sustained." Con-
struction work increased, relieving un-
employment, while Canadian export
values for eight consecutive months
in 1933 were larger than in the corre-
sponding period in 1932.

The report mentioned particularly the
increased values of sales abroad
of lumber and base metals. "This de-
velopment," it added, "is reflected in a
marked betterment of business in the
Maritime Provinces and British
Columbia, as well as, though to a lesser
degree, in Ontario and Quebec."

"Revival of business in this
Dominion," the report continued, "has
to a large extent, been a reflection of
a world-wide improvement. Despite
this improvement, however, the inter-
national situation remains clouded."

The lumber, pulp and paper indus-
tries of the Maritimes, British Colum-
bia, Ontario and Quebec have increased
their activities. Lumber-camp opera-
tions are greater than for some years.
Ontario's construction work jumped
more than \$12,000,000 in value in the
last quarter of 1933.

Output of dairy products was main-
tained in Saskatchewan, Alberta and
Manitoba, where, however, business
volume was restricted by the farmers'
low purchasing power. Hog prices in-
creased and butter prices went higher
than the previous year. The slump in
construction work was recorded at
more than \$7,000,000 on the prairies
with the greatest decline in the
drought-stricken areas.

British Columbia's three major in-
dustries, lumbering, mining and fish-
ing, were swung upward with the lum-
ber industry jumping from a low point
of sixteen per cent in January, 1933
to almost fifty per cent of capacity
production in the latter part of the
year. Lumber exports in the first ten
months of 1933 were forty per cent
greater than in the same period of
1932 as a result of increased shipments
to the United Kingdom, China and
South Africa.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the
annual meeting of the members of the
above society will be held at the Em-
pire Hotel, Government Street, Victo-
ria, B.C., on Monday, the 12th day of
February, A.D. 1934, at the hour of
7:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

DATED at Victoria, B.C., this 22nd
day of January, A.D. 1934.

F. A. RUSSELL,

Secretary.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The officers and members of Queen City
Chapter No. 5, R.O.S., will assemble at the
B.C. Funeral Parlors on Friday, January 26
at 1:30 p.m., for the purpose of attending
the services for our late sister, Harriet
Nelson. Members of sister chapters are in-
vited to attend.

By order of the Worthy Matron, Marion
Roberts.

M. H. AUSTIN,

Secretary.

Road, Poll and Dog Taxes for Year 1934

Are now due to the Corporation of the
City of Victoria, B.C.

To Dog Owners

All owners of dogs are required to register
them in the City of Victoria's Department
and to pay the yearly license by January 31,
1934. Unless the above conditions are com-
plied with proceedings will be taken to in-
force penalties provided in Dog License
By-law No. 2625, against delinquents.

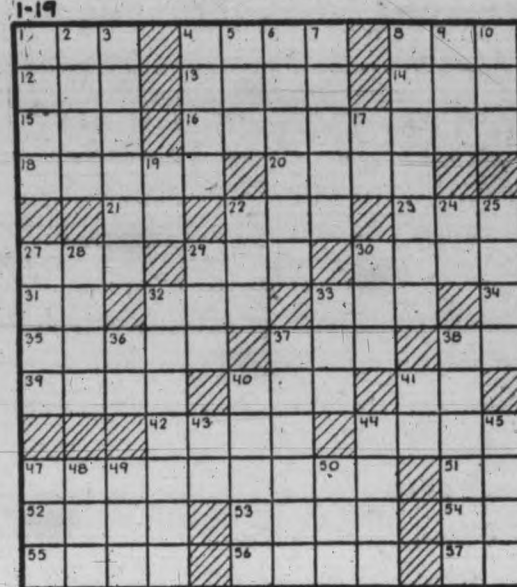
The expression "owner" includes every
person on whose premises a dog is harbored.

N. H. LORD,

Collector.

Today's Cross-Word Puzzle

By EUGENE SHEFFER



HORIZONTAL

1—fairy queen

4—whirl

8—outdoor

12—make a mis-
take

13—prong

14—winged

15—constella-
tion pictured as a
lion

16—subordinate

18—god of the
Philippines

20—certain
days in the
Roman
calendar

21—plural pro-
noun

22—pig pen

23—newspaper
paragraph

27—personal
pronoun

29—color

30—flaming

31—exclama-
tion

32—play on
words

33—cook in
boiling fat

34—pronoun

35—half the
view

37—folding bed

38—charge for
profes-
sional
service

39—negate

40—chart

41—Hebrew
letter

42—rip

43—one of the
Greek
orders of
architec-
ture

47—knights

51—beetle

52—man's name

53—armor

54—Greek
letter

55—several

56—sea eagle

57—male sheep

Here with is the solution to yes-
terday's Puzzle.

STALIN SAHARA
DANA AGES
AM CLINTON
SAM ELOIN
TRUSTS NEGAT
ACRES SALES
PLAIN MIL
PULSE NICOY
UNLESS MANILA
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NO PALADIN AP
NO FATE AVER R
EVADES SEWERS

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Daily Health Service

Check Up On Your Health,
Even When You Feel Well

Studies Show That, Although Normal, You May Have Ill-
ments That Should Be Treated Before They Get Worse

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEN

Whenever you consult a doctor you
go to him with some special complaint.
However, doctors know that even when
you apparently are well you may have
physical difficulties which should be
attended to, but which you overlook
because they do not cause sufficient
pain, suffering, or disability to demand
medical attention.

Out of 400 nursing schoolgirls be-
tween nineteen and twenty-five years
of age, all of whom were well at the
time of entrance, at least two and
one-half per cent are sick at all times
with some condition which prevents
them from working. Most of the com-
plaints relate to the breathing ap-
paratus and include the common cold.
If you have to be on your feet a
great deal, you are likely to have
some disability, because the human
foot simply does not stand up under
excessive wear and tear.

Out of 400 normal persons, at least
fifteen have trouble with their noses

and throats during the year. Adequate
attention to the nose and throat in
advance will prevent the sickness.

Everybody also knows that a certain
amount of trouble with the teeth is
the lot of most men.

More recently, medical attention has
tended to study the functioning of the
glands of the body, especially the thy-
roid gland. After the basal metabo-
lism of human beings is measured, it
is found that a considerable number
have either a high or low basal meta-
bolism, indicating that the thyroid
gland is not functioning fully as it
should.

The abnormality in the thyroid
gland may result in various types of
disturbances which I have discussed
many times. It is enough to say,
however, that excessive irritability may
be due to overaction of the thyroid
gland, and that dullness, a dry skin,
and fatigue may be associated with
under-functioning of this organ.

Furthermore, modern life causes a
great deal of wear and tear on the
heart and the blood vessels. Hence,
any group of 400 normal persons will
yield a certain number whose hearts
are exceedingly fast, whose blood
pressure is higher than it ought to be,
and who may suffer with emotional
disturbances.

Obviously, early and sufficient at-
tention to this type of condition, will
mean a great deal in preventing de-
velopment of much more serious con-
ditions.

Finally, great numbers of people
suffer nowadays from other types of
disorder of which little was dreamed
in a previous era. Rheumatic disor-
ders now affect many persons and are
responsible for a good deal of dis-
ability. Many of these rheumatic dis-
orders are associated with infections
in various parts of the body, some with
diet disorders.

In addition, new knowledge de-
veloped in recent years regarding
sensitivity indicates that a certain
percentage of all people is sensitive
to foods, to drugs, to dusts, and to
similar materials which produce sym-
ptoms.

These symptoms are not always
enough to cause complete disability,
but frequently enough to produce a
feeling of sickness and inability to
perform adequate work.

Hence, let me advise you, regardless
of how normal you may feel, to have
an examination for the detection of
these minor defects and to have them
corrected when correction is possible.

Decides Against
School Inspector

Little likelihood that the Saanich
School Board will name a successor to
J. M. Paterson, late municipal school
inspector, was indicated at a meeting
yesterday evening when the trustees
went on record as favoring the present
temporary arrangement of having a
government inspector carry on the
work.

The board had been advised by the

THE SCREEN

Two Pictures
At Playhouse

A charming love story interweaves
the adventurous action of the film at the
Playhouse Theatre, "Midshipman
Jack," RKO-Radio Picture featuring
Bruce Cabot and Betty Furness.

Cabot in the title role of "Midship-
man Jack," is a young cadet who shuns
rules and regulations to court his com-
mandant's daughter.

The climax of the production is an
elaborate and thrilling spectacle, pre-
sented in a war manoeuvre with sea-
planes and speedy submarine-chasers
making an attack upon enemy sub-
mersibles. The spectacle is topped with
a daring stunt, a head-on crash be-
tween an airplane in full flight and
an oncoming sub-chaser commanded
by the film's hero.

Also being shown on the same pro-
gramme is Ramon Novarro in "The
Barbarian."

Gene Gerrard At
Empire Friday

At the Empire Theatre, starting Fri-
day, is a B.P. comedy which anyone
with a tendency to succumb to the
general depression should make a
point of seeing. "My Wife's Mother,"
stars Gene Gerrard and with Thomas
Bentley directing, H. P. Malloy's story
has provided an ideal plot for this in-
imitable brewer of mix-ups and merri-
ment.

On the eve of his marriage to Nancy
Burge, Gene is forced to alter in his
new home the ravishing Camilla Horn,
who takes the part of a flighty young
married woman who has been locked
out of her house in a terrific storm
arise only in pyjamas. Complications
involve the young woman's hus-
band, Gene's fiancée and his future
mother-in-law, admirably portrayed by
that brilliant character actress Amy
Veness.

The very beautiful and modern dec-
or of Gene's house forms a background
which is, in itself, a feast of entertain-
ment, and the inclusion of a haunting
song number gives Gene charming ro-
mantic opportunities.

COLUMBIA THEATRE

A number of races were represented
in the making of Universal's great
Arctic film, "S.O.S. Iceberg," which is
now playing a feature engagement at
the Columbia Theatre. This unusual
and reputedly spectacular film repre-
sents the first film invasion of that
little known land, Arctic Greenland,
and took six months to make. It is
said to include scenes never before
secured by the moving picture camera.

Miss Robson, who recently triumphed
in "Lady for a Day," was born in Mel-
bourne, Australia, and made her stage
debut in 1884.

A huge gathering of famous theatri-
cal personages celebrated the golden
anniversary of her career at a luncheon
at the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios.

Ricardo Cortez, who plays one of the
leading masculine roles opposite Kay
Francis in "The House on 56th Street,"
which is at the Capitol Theatre to-day,
won a long term contract with Warner
Bros. for his talented work in that pic-
ture.

Cortez was borrowed from another
motion picture company to play the
part of a card shark in the Kay Fran-
cis picture. His work was so outstand-
ing that Warner Bros. decided they
wanted him for other pictures. Negotia-
tions were entered into to take over
his contract with the result that Cor-
tez is now a member of the Warner
Bros. long list of stars. He was immedi-
ately cast for a leading role with Bette
Davis in "The Shakedown."

To-day's Birthdays

THURSDAY, JANUARY 25

Edith Joan Williams, Deer-
holme, Duncan, B.C. (1).

James Gustaf Johnstone, 942
King's Road, Victoria (9).

Violet Isabette Murfield, 1127
Balmoral Road, Victoria (8).

Eveline Ellen Peters, Cedar
Brae, Sooke, V.I. (14).

Albert Bramwell Craeknell,
2131 Ida Street, Victoria (5).

Helen Stewart, 509 Raymond
Avenue, Ocean Park, Calif. (7).

James Alderson McArthur,
799 Cook Street, Victoria (14).

Ila Clare Jeune, 3154 Fifth
Street, Victoria (14).

Vera Smith, 1615 Pinewood
Avenue, Victoria (12).

FRENCH NAVAL
ADDITIONS URGED

Associated Press

Paris, Jan. 25.—Naval Minister Albert
Sarrait has answered Chancellor Adolf
Hitler's inquiry as to where France
stood on the navy question by advan-
cing a French fleet stronger than
those of Germany and Italy together.
During a secret session of the Chamber
of Deputies naval committee yesterday
the former Premier urged the speedy
building of another Dunkirk to balance
Germany's three Deutschland.

The proud French Dunkirk, a man-
of-war of 25,000 tons and with 320-
millimetre guns and a speed of twenty-
nine knots, according to specifications,
was rushed to the stocks after Ger-
many had bought her 10,000-ton
"pocket battleship" of the Deutschland
type.

M. Sarrait said the French tonnage
was now greater than the German and
Italian combined, but inferior in qual-
ity because of the new Deutschland
vessels.

government that Saanich was still con-
sidered as an inspecator and would
continue as such until it was annulled.
Chairman W. W. Duncan appointed
Trustees W. P. Jeune and A. E. Hull
members of a committee to interview
the Superintendent of Education re-
garding the continuance of govern-
ment inspection.

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At Advertiser

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House on 56th Street."

Columbia — "S.O.S. Iceberg," star-
ring Rod La Rocque.

Dominion — "Dancing Lady," with
Joan Crawford.

Playhouse — "Midshipman Jack,"
starring Bruce Cabot.

Empire — "Goono-Goono," South Sea
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YOUNG PEOPLE'S CHURCH SOCIETIES

KNOX Y.P.S.
On Monday evening the Knox Presbyterian Young People's Society met with a good attendance. Miss Louise T. Patterson, president, presided. Miss Agnes Ross read the Scripture lesson, and George West led in prayer. George West was the guest speaker and he gave an inspirational talk on "Jesus the Ideal Man."
During the business meeting it was announced that the recent treasure hunt was a great success, over thirty members took part and at 9:30 p.m. everyone was taken to the home of Rev. J. S. and Mrs. Patterson where the members enjoyed music and games and popped corn in front of a large open fireplace. Miss Iola Mitchell won the prize for the hunt. Later the hostesses served refreshments.
On Friday, January 26, the society will debate St. Paul's Presbyterian Y.P.S. The debate is "Resolved that the church is keeping her hold on the young people." Knox taking the affirmative. This is the first of a series of debates to be held under the Presbyterian Young People's Association. The society winning the series will be presented with a silver cup. The debate will be held at the Chinese Presbyterian Church on North Park Street at 8 p.m. All members are requested to be present.
Next Monday evening Knox Y.P.S. will meet as usual at 8 o'clock when the annual election of officers will take place. All members please make special effort to be present. Rev. J. S. Patterson closed the meeting with the benediction.

ST. JOHN'S A.Y.P.A.
The guild room of St. John's Church was filled on Monday evening when sixty young people gathered to hear a debate between St. Paul's and St. John's A.Y.P.A. The subject chosen was "Resolved, that \$5,000 would be of more benefit to a high school graduate, than a college education, at the present time."
Prior to the debate several matters of importance were discussed, including the fifteenth anniversary banquet and dance to be held Friday, January 26. Announcement was made of St. Mark's dance to be held on February 9, and members were reminded of the organ recital at St. John's Church, which will take place of the regular Monday meeting next week.
J. Hooper introduced the debaters, Miss Peggy White and Ray Hadfield of St. Paul's, taking the affirmative, and Miss Norren Creelman and F. Erickson of St. John's, the negative. The subject was well and ably debated, and while the judges, Messrs. MacDonald, S. C. Hawkins and Alaric Corby, decided the matter, the debate was opened for discussion.
The decision was given to the negative. Mr. A. Corby gave a few critical remarks on the debate.
Community singing was enjoyed by the young people, and refreshments served by Miss Betty Martin and her committee, brought the evening to a close.

BAPTIST Y.P.S.
The regular meeting of the Douglas Street Baptist Young People's Society will be held Friday evening at 7:30. An address will be given by Mr. G. H. H.

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| CHILDREN'S SLEEPERS—Soft and heavy. 2 to 6 years. Special. | 69c |
| FLANNELLETTES PJAMAS—Made of good quality flannellette. Special. | \$1.00 |

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Oscar W. Benedict, Abbotsford, has been appointed to represent the B.C. Government on the board of management of Matsqui-Sumas-Abbotsford Hospital.

Ab Lin, Chinese, was remanded until next Tuesday when he appeared before Magistrate Jagg in Oak Bay police court this morning on a charge of unlawful possession of opium.

Robert Rowan, charged with unlawful sale of liquor, was remanded until next Tuesday in city police court this morning. He is represented by F. L. Shaw.

Ruth Breckingham of Metchosis reports finding the first wild Easter lily of the year yesterday. The date in an abnormally early one for the flower to be found growing wild.

The annual meeting of subscribers of the Queen Alexandra Solatium will be held at the Empress Hotel on Monday afternoon, February 12, at 2:30 o'clock.

The Credit Granters will hold their weekly luncheon in Spencer's dining room to-morrow at 12:10 o'clock, when an address will be given by Gordon Raphael.

A total of forty-four students in Saanich received dental treatment during December, according to Dr. S. Youden, school dentist. The value of work done was \$56.70, of which \$4.65 was collected.

F. B. Cassitt, Vernon, has been appointed judge of the court of revision and appeal for the Vernon and surrounding districts. The appointments of A. E. Sage, Armstrong, and P. M. Buckland, Kelowna, have been rescinded.

The Victoria West Liberal Social Club will hold another of their regular dances and tombolas at the Liberal Social, Government Street, Saturday evening. Zala's orchestra will be in attendance. All Liberals are cordially invited.

Rev. Dr. Clem Davies will deliver a series of two lectures daily at the Provincial Normal School on public speaking and oral expression, starting on Wednesday, January 24, at 7:30 p.m., and continuing for two months. It was announced yesterday by the Department of Education.

Regular and finance committee meetings of the Saanich School Board will be held during 1934 on the first and third Wednesdays of every month. It was decided yesterday evening. Delegations will be limited as far as possible to hearings at the former meetings.

Prof. Paul Boying, Cand. Ph.D., will speak before the University Extension Association at Victoria College this evening on "Inheritance in Plant and Man." The lecture, which is scheduled to start at 8:15 o'clock, will be open to the public.

A charge of unlawfully keeping liquor for sale, against Arthur Curtis-Hurst, was dismissed by Magistrate Jagg in provincial police court yesterday. The magistrate's decision was governed by evidence in doubt submitted by the prosecution.

Judge P. M. Howay, sitting in the County Court yesterday to dispose of cases set down for hearing this week, allowed a claim of J. R. C. Smith for a \$45 garage bill from J. C. Switzer, a student, to be dismissed. H. W. L. Courtney appeared for the plaintiff and P. J. Sinnott for the respondent.

A \$5 fine was imposed on Christopher Dresser in police court this morning when he pleaded guilty to failing to give a hand signal when changing direction while driving. Four motorists who paid \$25.00 fines for failing to observe parking regulations in the city were: Edward E. Dent, Miss L. G. Allen, John H. Croft and H. Jean M. Cabellou.

Members of the Real Estate Board of Victoria will meet in Spencer's dining room to-morrow at 12:30 o'clock. Municipal assessments and items in connection with the district act will be dealt with. A report on the later item will be submitted by a special committee appointed at the last meeting of the board.

It is hoped all parents of the members of Bowles Boys' Band will be present at the meetings at their headquarters to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. Canon Hinchcliffe will speak to the boys on the value of music. Sir Percy Lewis will also attend. The band will meet at 7:15 o'clock in full uniform. Anyone interested in the boys is cordially invited.

The Victoria West Community Forum will meet in Victoria West United Church this evening at 8 o'clock. The speaker will be Rev. E. F. Church, who will talk for his subject, "Religion and Mental Hygiene." Prior to the lecture there will be a devotional period from 7:30 to 8 o'clock. At the conclusion of the lecture the meeting will be thrown open for the discussion of the subject. Rev. W. B. Brown will be chairman.

Andrew George, 713 Vancouver Street, sued a slight head injury when he was knocked down by a car yesterday evening at the Five Points intersection in Fairfield. Mr. and Mrs. George had just stepped off the curb from the corner where a car driver east on Fairfield Road by J. F. Fleming, 2089 Oak Bay Avenue, bumped him as it was turning to go west on Oscar Street. Mr. George was taken to a friend's house nearby.

SEE NEED FOR MORE ECONOMY

School Board Finds Tentative Estimates Above Last Year; Will Pare Down

Determined to maintain their objective of keeping estimates at a figure no higher than that of last year, the Victoria School Board faced a serious problem when a survey of preliminary expenses yesterday evening showed a total in excess of that of 1933.

The figures were based on the assumption the government grant would be similar to that with which the board finished last year, but owing to the fact the board secured a higher figure for the first three months of 1933, that amount should be continued as it finished, would be in the neighborhood of \$10,000 less than the amount given last year by the government.

In the endeavor to make every economy the board will meet next Wednesday evening, hoping to pare down the estimates.

No definite statement will be available, however, until Mrs. W. A. MacMillan, who has the honor of being the exact sum it may expect from the government.

VESTRY MEETS AT ST. MARK'S

St. Mark's parishioners turned out in large numbers for the annual meeting held in the Parish Hall on Wednesday.

Rev. O. L. Jull, in his report, commented on the growing spirit of fellowship and service among the members. He also outlined a series of specially planned services to be held during Lent. As the parish will be celebrating its forty-second anniversary on St. Mark's Day, April 25, the vicar urged the appointment of a special observance of the event this year.

C. M. Prentice, who for several years has acted as vicar's warden, resigned in view of the fact that he was leaving the parish. W. A. MacMillan was appointed as his successor.

The various reports submitted showed that much good work had been accomplished during the year and most organizations reported a cash balance. Votes of thanks were passed to these organizations, including the choir, and reference to the good work of St. Mark's choir and the Cub Scouts.

The financial report of the parish showed a small deficit on a few apportionments but a distinct improvement upon last year.

The following officers were appointed: Vicar's warden, W. E. MacMillan; people's warden, E. H. Fisher; sub-warden, G. B. Wilson; and secretary, Messrs. Bassett, Wilson and Goodwin; delegates to synod, Col. Ridgeway-Wilson, E. T. Hodgkinson, E. H. Fisher and O. M. Prentice; substitutes, G. B. Wilson and W. L. Westbury.

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DEATH TAKES I. MAWHINNEY
The death occurred yesterday of Isaac Mawhinney aged seventy-nine years. He was born in Ontario and came to this city over twenty years ago. He was a member of the Canadian Order of Foresters.

He is survived by five brothers, John R. New Westminster; David, Winnipeg; William, Burnaby; Leah, Parksville; and F. C. Victoria; two sisters, Mrs. John Dilworth, Victoria, and Mrs. A. Hunter, Williams Lake.

The remains are resting at Haywards B.C. Funeral Chapel until Friday, when they will be shipped to New Westminster for burial beside those of his wife and daughter.

FUNERAL TO-MORROW
The remains of Mrs. Harriet Nelson, who passed away yesterday at the family residence, 229 Vancouver Street, are resting at Haywards B.C. Funeral Chapel, where the service will be held to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

James Townsend was fined \$15 when he pleaded guilty to a charge of driving to the danger of himself and others in a motor car.

Birthday Greetings Are Extended To-day To—

HON. S. F. TOLMIE
MRS. FLORENCE SMITH
COL. GORDON EVANS
CAPT. GORDON EVANS
MRS. EMILY J. SKETT
DOUGLAS R. PARK
MISS DORIS WHITE
MRS. W. H. F. RICHDALE
MISS VIOLET ROWLAND

Hon. S. F. Tolmie, former Premier of British Columbia, to-day celebrates the birthday of his birth. Dr. Tolmie graduated as a veterinarian from the Ontario Veterinary College. He started in the public service as livestock commissioner for B.C. Elected to represent Victoria in the Dominion Parliament in the general election of 1917, he was appointed Minister of Agriculture. He became Premier of B.C. in 1928.

To-day is the birthday of both Mrs. Florence Smith and of her daughter, Vera, who is twelve. Mrs. Smith, who was born in Lincolnshire, England, has been in Victoria nineteen years. She lives with her husband and daughter at 1615 Pinewood Avenue.

Col. Ross Napier to-day celebrates the passing of another milestone. He came to Vancouver Island in 1903 from Stonehaven, Scotland. In August, 1914, he left for France in command of the B.C. contingent of the Corps of Guides. He holds the record of actual service for any Victorian in the war. He was a member of the Victoria Legion of the Order of the British Empire.

Capt. Gordon Evans, master of the lighthouse tender, to-day celebrated another birthday in his adventurous career. Capt. Evans joined the Marine Department in 1907. He was in London, England, and resides at 2573 Epworth Street.

Mrs. Emily Louise Skett, 1722 Lee Avenue, to-day celebrates her birthday. Born in Swindon, Wiltshire, she came to Victoria in 1920, with her husband, who is a lighthouse operator on the Pacific coast. Mrs. Skett is well-known in many women's organizations.

Douglas R. Park, shop foreman in Victoria, to-day celebrates his birthday. He came to Victoria in 1902. His wife, Mrs. Park, is a well-known social worker and has one daughter.

Miss Doris White, nurse at the Jubilee Hospital, to-day is being congratulated on the anniversary of her birth. She was born in Merritt, and resided in Vernon for several years before coming to Victoria to train.

Mrs. W. H. F. Richdale to-day celebrates the passing of another milestone. She came to Victoria in 1902. She later organized the Queen City Chapter, and a number of sister organizations. She also has the distinction of being the first woman in Victoria to have been called to serve on a jury.

Miss Viola Rowland, 1941 Craig Road, is to-day receiving congratulations of her friends on attaining her coming-of-age. She is a popular member of the staff of the Hudson's Bay Company.

SALMON PACK RULE DELETED

Fishermen Not Required to Deliver Catch to Cannery in 24 Hours

The Dominion government regulation, under which the B.C. Legislature had passed a law calling for salmon to be landed at a cannery in twenty-four hours or else gutted and iced to receive a class A certificate has been rescinded.

Information to this effect was received by C. P. Hickman of the Fisheries branch yesterday. The notice states that the regulation which came into effect on January 1, 1933, was rescinded.

Another regulation deleted is one which specified that salmon from the Queen Charlotte waters should be deemed unfit for human consumption unless the entrails were removed immediately after the fish was caught and before it was packed and transported in crushed ice.

The regulation calling for delivery to a cannery in twenty-four hours was vigorously criticized at the last session on the grounds that it was unnecessary, placed the fishermen at the mercy of cannerymen by limiting the area in which they could fish. It was also emphasized that it did not specify how long the fish could remain at the cannery before it was packed.

PIONEER WOMAN IS LAID TO REST

Funeral services were held this morning at 11 o'clock for Mrs. Jessie Campbell McKenzie, widow of Alexander McKenzie, who passed away in Vancouver on Tuesday, aged ninety-one years. Mrs. McKenzie was born in Scotland and resided in Victoria for fifty-five years before she came to the mainland city to make her home.

She is survived by four sons, Roderick, Pittsburgh; Donald C. Victoria, and A. W. C. both in Vancouver, and one daughter, Mrs. J. W. Victoria.

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The Department of Labor and the Attorney-General's Department of the B.C. Government will be represented at the inquest on Chinese victims of the shingle-belt camp at Canoe Pass.

ANNUAL VESTRY MEETING HELD

St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, Has Good Year; Committeees Named

The annual Vestry meeting of St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, was held in the Parish Hall on Tuesday evening under the presidency of the rector, Rev. A. E. de L. Nunn, M.A., supported by his assistant, Rev. R. E. M. Terburgh, M.A., and the churchwardens, C. T. Teasdale and H. H. Cullis.

After the reading of the minutes of the last vestry meeting, the rector addressed the assembly on the financial and general condition of the parish. He gave well deserved credit to the church committee for the efficient work performed during the last year, and referred to the efforts of the Ladies' Guild, which had contributed no less a sum than \$784.30 during the year. The work of the other organizations connected with the church, the men's guild, the girls' guild, the altar guild, the senior branch, the evening branch, the girls' branch and the junior branch of the Women's Auxiliary, and the A.Y.P.A. were explained, and much credit was given by the speaker for the interest displayed and the useful work performed. The senior boys' and girls' bible classes and the Sunday school were reported to be in a flourishing condition, special praise being accorded to Mr. Macmillan, the intendant of the Sunday school. The heads of all these organizations received the rector's thanks. The number of acts of communion again showed an increase.

Stress was laid upon the need of increasing the number of envelope subscribers.

FINANCES IN GOOD SHAPE
The financial position generally was shown to be satisfactory, due to the untiring care of the churchwardens and the treasurer, Arthur A. Benough.

The rector appointed P. Barber-Stark as his churchwarden in place of Mr. Teasdale resigned. H. H. Cullis was re-elected people's warden.

The following were elected as members of the church committee: C. T. Teasdale, W. H. Bullock-Webster, Capt. Rev. F. H. Buck, B.A., Stanley P. Banks, Dr. S. A. K. White, R. B. Price, W. C. Gelling, Major Hugh Allen, C. W. Pangman and Capt. H. M. S. Bell. As representatives in synod: Lt.-Gen. Sir Percy Lake, K.C.B., K.C.M.G.; Dr. S. A. K. White, Percy James, G. F. Salmon, H. H. Cullis and R. P. Farnell, and as substitutes, Capt. Bell and P. Richardson; representatives to Ruri-Decanal Conference, M. Chadwick, R. P. Farnell and W. C. Gelling; missionary committee, Mrs. Gopel and Mrs. Gopel; envelope secretary, S. P. Banks, and auditor, L. Gordon Toms.

Before the close of the meeting it was moved by Mr. Bullock-Webster and carried by a standing vote that the congratulations of the meeting be extended to the Lord Bishop of the Diocese on his restoration to health to the extent that it is at the present time.

HON. G. M. SLOAN RETURNS TO B.C.

Canadian Press
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In case of a craft being overturned, or signs of impending disaster, persons are asked to telephone Major Longstaff at E-5484 or Mr. Fletcher at E-9191, when immediate assistance will be sent.

GANG LEADERS RUN PRISON

Commissioner Makes Discoveries at Welfare Island, New York City
New York, Jan. 25.—An assortment of narcotics and weapons was confiscated in a surprise raid on Welfare Island Penitentiary yesterday by this city's new correction commissioner, who said he found a group of prisoners living in "country club" style.

Commissioner Austin H. McCormick, heading an unscheduled inspection tour of the prison, discovered forbidden drugs, carried in by special foods at the disposal of many inmates.

Afterward he denounced conditions on the island as "the worst in the world." McCormick's dramatic appearance created an uproar among the inmates. They hurled missiles and screamed—a milk bottle crashed at McCormick's feet and other objects missed him by narrow margins—but as a systematic search was begun they were quieted down.

After uncovering what he termed evidence the penitentiary was under the domination of a clique of "big shot" gangsters, McCormick relieved Warden A. McCann of his duties and suspended Deputy Warden Daniel Feehan, pending a departmental trial February 8 on a long list of charges.

McCormick, accompanied by four detectives, declared he found narcotics, hypodermics, knives, razor, iron pipes and a hatchet during his search of the prison, which was built to hold 1,368 inmates and now contains 1,658.

STATE OPIUM MORE IN CHINA

Honan Province Government Is Openly Going Into the Business

Shanghai, China, Jan. 25.—The Honan provincial government is going into the opium business, and expects to make a large profit, according to letters received in Shanghai from foreign missionaries in the province.

Three bus lines, owned by officials, will distribute the opium from Peking to four cities which will be local centres for distribution.

In addition to the four centres, there will be forty-seven official shops in forty-seven different towns and cities, and under these forty-seven large shops, smaller towns and villages will operate first, second and third class opium dens.

Hereafter opium users will have to obtain "permit cards," which will cost \$5 and must be renewed every six months, and each additional renewal will cost \$5. The official shops will sell opium only to holders of these cards.

The provincial authorities will use the provincial militia and the local police in an intensive war on bootleggers of opium, for the authorities want a monopoly on the business. Peasants and villagers fear anti-bandit campaigns will become utterly lax when the militia is ordered to the job of rounding up illicit opium dealers, and that there will be recrudescence in lawlessness.

Approval of the suggested cemetery site at Ganges has been given by the B.C. Government.

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Schedules Announced For Athletics In Victoria Public Schools

THE SPORTS MIRROR

Looking Over the Coming Bout Between Loughran and Carnera

Former Will Have to Make Good Use of His Speed to Win

Lester Patrick Picks His All-star Team in Unique Manner

TOMMY LOUGHRAN, the super-natural shadow from Philadelphia, figures he has more than a good chance to beat Primo Carnera in his heavyweight championship bout at Miami on February 22. But there are certain disadvantages he must heed. One of these is his flair for shedding his own blood. During the course of his hundreds of battles his face has been severely ploughed. These old scars open easily. It is not easy for a referee or judge to award the decision to a man bathed in his own gore.

Several years ago Tommy fought the late Ernie Schaaf. He regarded the Boston fighter lightly and as a result took a beating. He was enraged, demanded a return bout, and got it within a few weeks. Schaaf's first punches opened the cuts which had not had time to heal. Loughran's face looked like a well-pounded steak. He put up a fine fight, but again lost the verdict. In his most recent fight, Loughran administered an artistic beating to Ray Impellittere. But in an early round an opponent opened a couple of bad gashes on the Irishman's face and the flow of blood almost led the referee to halt the fight and call it a technical knockout.

Carnera is a given to clubbing in the clinches, moving those big arms around like flails. A couple of jolts around the eyes from the big fellow would be pretty certain to open up the weak spots. It might do Loughran some good if he underwent a course of treatment with salt brine facial packs. Gene Tunney used to have his hands in soaking them in salt brine. It is an ancient pickling process dating clear back to bare knuckle days. Loughran is pretty sure not to repeat the mistake of his first fight with Jack Sharkey. In the belief that weight would add power to his punch he put on fifteen pounds a month or so before he stepped into the ring. As a result he was slow and Sharkey caught him in an off moment and knocked him out.

Loughran does not need weight to beat Carnera. It looks like there is not one chance in 5000 of his knocking Primo out. Speed looks to be his best weapon. The skill that Loughran has acquired may enable him to keep Carnera away and punish the big fellow at the same time. Tommy's chance of victory lies in rolling up a great number of points. It is not likely that Carnera will hit with that uppercut with which he knocked out Sharkey. Loughran is too smart a boxer to be nailed with that punch. And if Tommy only keeps his features intact, he has a chance to win.

Lester Patrick, asked to name a composite all-star team in a sport magazine, does so in a unique manner. Instead of naming his men for positions connected with hockey, he chooses of goal keeping for which he names Charlie Gardiner, Chicago Black Hawks. Patrick states Morens has the greatest flash; Joliat is the most crafty; Claude, possesses the most fighting spirit; Bill Cook has the most brains; Shore exudes the most color, while Hec Kilrea possesses the most speed. These are Patrick's selections. Then along came Bill Cook looking for the day when he'll be the other day of an all-star team in the N.H.L. is futile when you have a club like the Toronto Maple Leafs that lends the league in everything.

Cook cannot name the greatest player on the Toronto team, but he figures Harvey Jackson is the greatest left winger in hockey to-day. Cook says he picks him over Joliat because he is younger, even if he is not as tricky a stickhandler. Quite a few of those who have picked all-star teams already have given Joliat the call over Jackson, but then all-star teams at this stage should be picked with mental reservation. Joliat appears to have the edge so far, but Jackson is one of those swift finishers, as he showed last season.

Suzanne Lenglen, one of the most famous names in the history of lawn tennis, is now a registered trademark. Ever since she turned professional, she has constantly been annoyed at seeing her name exploited commercially.

Her business manager, H. E. Pfajster, stated recently that manufacturers of certain commodities have used all manner of devices to associate Lenglen's name with their products.

"Sometimes the name Lenglen has been used in a twisted hyphenated or abbreviated fashion," he said.

"There are only one or two commodities on the market which are actually entitled to associate themselves with her name, but, under instructions from Mr. Lenglen, I have recently registered a trademark for the name 'Suzanne Lenglen' for practically every sort of product with which her name could be associated, so that misrepresentation will no longer be possible."

There is no doubt that the practice of using a famous name to advertise

Basketball, Rugby And Hockey Teams To Commence Play

Young Athletes Face Busy Time With Interschool Events Arranged

BIG ENTRY IN ALL LEAGUES

Schedules covering boys' senior and junior basketball, girls' grass hockey and rugby, for athletes in the Victoria public schools were released to-day by Major A. C. Hinton, secretary of the Victoria School Sports Association, governing body of school athletics. Play in all events will open early next month.

Five schools, South Park, Margaret Jenkins, North Ward, Boys' Central and Oaklands have entered the rugby league, and before the school champions are crowned some great battles will undoubtedly be played. Six schools, three in the north section and a like number in the south section, will compete in the grass hockey competition. The former section comprises Quadra, North Ward and Victoria West schools, and the latter, Sir James Douglas, Girls' Central and South Park. This sport is becoming increasingly popular in the schools, and many interesting matches are looked for before the winners of the league schedule are decided.

SENIOR BASKETBALL. Seven schools have entered teams in the Senior Basketball League, four in the north section and three in the south section. Schools entered in the north section include Quadra, North Ward and Victoria West, and in the other division Boys' Central, Sir James Douglas and South Park. In the junior basketball six teams will go after the honors, three in each division. North Ward, Burke and Oaklands are the teams from the northern section, and South Park, Sir James Douglas and Boys' Central in the southern division.

Post-season play-offs for the school championship in boys' senior and junior basketball and girls' grass hockey will be staged. The sectional winners meeting in a play-off series. With the release of the schedules covering athletic competitions for the many schools, hundreds of students will be afforded the opportunity of participating in the various sports. Keen rivalry will be the feature of the many exhibitions, with each school fighting for the coveted honors.

SCHEDULES

Complete schedules follow:

RUGBY

February 5

South Park vs. North Ward, Central Park, 4 p.m.

Margaret Jenkins vs. Boys' Central, Athletic Park, 3:45 p.m.

Oaklands vs. Boys' Central, Central Park, 4 p.m.

February 13

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North Ward vs. Oaklands, Central Park, 4 p.m.

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March 6

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GIRLS GRASS HOCKEY

February 6

Quadra vs. North Ward, Victoria West vs. Boys' Central

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CANADA-U.S. HOCKEY PLAY IS PLANNED

Allan Cup Winners Would Meet American Champs For N. American Title

Montreal, Jan. 25.—Plans are under way for the winners of the Allan Cup to play winners of the United States amateur hockey title in a play-off for the North American championship. Frank Greenleaf, president of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association is in the vanguard of these favoring the idea. It was learned here yesterday evening.

Calling for a series late in the spring, between the Allan Cup holders and the winners of the United States title, now held by Atlantic City Sea Gulls, the plans await the approval of the various branches of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association and the ice hockey division of the United States Amateur Athletic Union. President Greenleaf said he was waiting for results of a mail vote requested by the Canadian Association on the proposal from its branches and officials.

COLONIST IN HOOP VICTORY

Defeat Lake Hill 36 to 30 to Strengthen Hold in Senior B Division

Defeating Lake Hill 36 to 30, at the high school yesterday evening, Colonist men's senior B hoopers took a commanding lead in the race for the divisional championship. The Colonist team, led by captain, Regent, defeated Lake Hill 36 to 30, at the high school yesterday evening. The Colonist team, led by captain, Regent, defeated Lake Hill 36 to 30, at the high school yesterday evening.

OUTSCORING NEWSIES. With Ralph Mitchell shooting with deadly accuracy, and his teammates fighting with their backs to the wall, Lake Hill outscored their opponents in the second half, but failed to come back to a one-point lead at half time, the score being 15 to 15 in their favor.

Setting a fast pace all the way, with play veering from end to end in quick succession, Deas and Regent put up a great exhibition. The Deasists held a one-point lead at half time, the score being 15 to 15 in their favor. Pulling away early in the second half the eventual winners gained an increased lead, and despite many good rallies on the part of the Regents finished with a nine-point margin of victory.

Taking a five-point lead in the first half, Panturion women's cage team came through with a 24 to 12 victory over Dad's Cookies. The winners outscored their opponents in each half, Tommy Macdonald refereed.

The teams and individual scores follow: Colonist—Scott, McKeachie, Smith, Clarke 10, Moore 15, Elliot, Stipe 6, Jones 5. Lake Hill—R. Mitchell 19, Macmurchie 7, Bate, B. Mitchell 1, Cunningham 3, L. Styan, Atkinson, D. Styan, Walker, Campbell.

Regents—Wallace 4, Noakes 5, Taylor 2, Minnie, Webster 14, McAdam 2. Deasists—Coats 4, Cliff 2, Higgins 6, Andrews 9, Naysmith 4, Birnie, Shepherd 11.

Panturion—E. Bernard 2, L. Stiles, E. Peden 7, M. Wilson 9, R. Bethel 4, E. Trotter 2. Dad's Cookies—J. Alexander 2, G. Jones 2, Anderson 4, E. Matthews 2, L. McKenzie, M. Purdy 4, B. Martin, P. Hall.

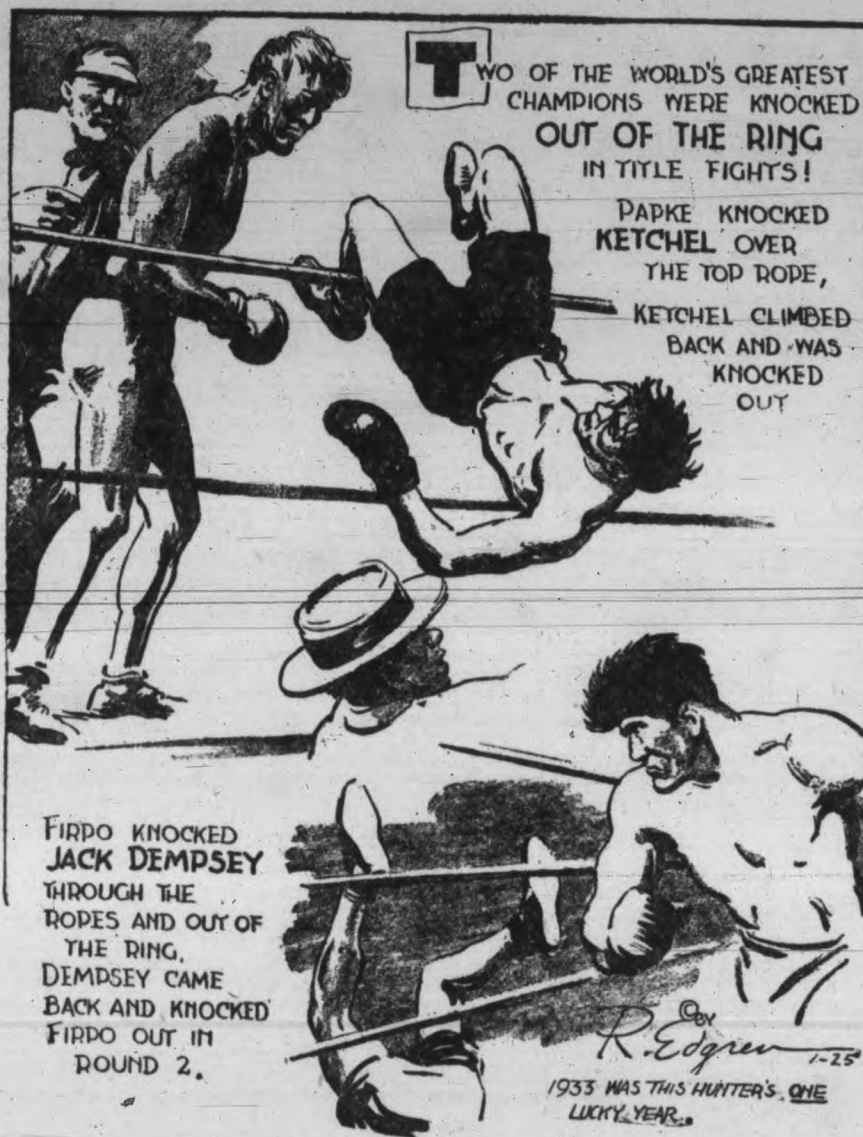
scored by Albert Welsh, centre; Cliff Schurle, right wing, and Cliff Lake, left wing. The victory brought to seven the number of games Quakers have won in nine starts since they began their season. They played the same Praha team which held Ottawa, Shamrocks recently to a 1 to 1 tie.

QUAKERS GAIN REVENGE

Praha, Czechoslovakia, Jan. 25.—Saskatoon Quakers yesterday evening avenged their defeat by the Praha Lawn Tennis Club by trouncing them 3 to 0 in an exciting hockey game watched by 10,000 spectators. The Praha team won Tuesday night's game 1 to 0, giving the Quakers the second beating of their European tour.

Yesterday evening's goals were

Miracles of Sport



FIRDO KNOCKED JACK DEMPSEY THROUGH THE ROPES AND OUT OF THE RING. DEMPSEY CAME BACK AND KNOCKED FIRDO OUT IN ROUND 2.

TWO OF THE WORLD'S GREATEST CHAMPIONS WERE KNOCKED OUT OF THE RING IN TITLE FIGHTS!

PAPKE KNOCKED KETCHEL OVER THE TOP ROPE,

KETCHEL CLIMBED BACK AND WAS KNOCKED OUT

1933 WAS THIS HUNTER'S ONE LUCKY YEAR.

By Robert Edgren

Barney Ross Keeps Petrolle Away and Whips Him Soundly

Lightweight Champion Hands Fargo Veteran Terrific Beating Over Ten Rounds

PETROLLE SAYS HE IS THROUGH

New York, Jan. 25.—Billy Petrolle—old Uncle Will with the twisted nose—came down to the end of a glamorous ring trail, yesterday evening, beaten and battered in ten rounds by dazzling young Barney Ross, lightweight champion from Chicago.

"I'm all through," he muttered as he climbed down the ring steps in the Bronx Coliseum, while a capacity crowd of more than 12,000, bringing back memories of fight crowds New York used to know, roared at the courage of the battle-scarred veteran from Duluth.

"I can't fight any more, so I won't," he said. "That's them that's it."

It was as if he had intended to describe what his words said was the last duel in a career, ranging back over a dozen years, against the most powerful men anywhere within ten pounds of his weight.

He couldn't fight Ross yesterday evening, though he tried every second of the blistering war; tried with everything in the repertoire of his abundant, heavy-hitting old timer. But he lacked the speed Ross had to burn the zip and dash of the younger man.

With the exception of but one round, the ninth, and flashes of others, the old man of twenty-nine took a cruel beating. He never was far from his feet and at no time was he in real danger of being knocked out.

The judgment of Referee Jack Denning, two judges, and a crowd that jammed the big Bronx barn to the eaves, was unanimous.

Swift and tireless, a really brilliant workman, shiny-eyed Ross enveloped the old man's head with left jabs, holding him continually out of his shifting, remorselessly forward-moving style. When he had Billy off balance, he crunched sharp left hooks off the head. Then, with Bill befuddled, he'd open up with both hands, whipping deadly accurate punches to the head and body.

That suited Bill—the slugging game—but Ross, who won his title from Tony Canzoneri and held it safe in a return match, knew that, too. He'd dance away, let Bill settle into his shuffle, then go through the same routine again.

Occasionally, getting away from punches that raised two great welts on his eyes, Bill would get close enough to whack his left hook, once a poisonous weapon, into Barney's head or his stomach. But he couldn't hurt the youngster. More often he'd miss completely with both hands, and leave himself wide open to a counter attack that came so fast old Will could only stand and take it, unable to get his hands up fast enough to shield himself.

He had but one good round, the ninth, when Ross obviously was casting his net for a knockout. He was then, he crunched the body of the old man of the round, fought off the youngster's rally and was ploughing along like the Petrolle of old through the last minute of the round.

ROSS FAVORITE. Despite the fact that Petrolle entered the ring with a weight advantage of close to five pounds, Ross was a 3 to 1 favorite. The lightweight champion weighed 124 pounds, so there was no title at stake. Petrolle scaled 141½.

Surroundings of the lusty duel, interesting despite its one-sidedness, brought to New York the promise of a long-awaited ring revival. While 12,043 managed to get inside the arena, far up in the Bronx and miles from normalistic centers, another half-dozen thousand milled around outside, unable to buy tickets because capacity was reached.

Receipts were \$36,853, with all the profits, after the fighters and expenses were paid, turned over to a Christmas fund charity.

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WRESTLING FANS ABOUT WRECK HALL

Tear Down Drapes and Pull Out Telephones When Bout Halted at Los Angeles

Los Angeles, Jan. 25.—More than 8,000 rioting fans, enraged because the Jim Browning-Joe Savoldi heavyweight wrestling match was ended as a draw at 11:15 yesterday evening under the "curfew" ruling, forced the grapplers to return to the mat and resume their bout nearly half an hour later.

Booting, shouting, the fans milled about, tore down drapes, ripped out telephones and did other damage. Referee Mickey McMasters, who had stopped the bout under the recent "curfew" order of the state athletic commission, refused to call the wrestlers back.

The disorder continued and Browning and Savoldi slipped back into the ring in his absence and began to wrestle again.

The grime and grunt artists, in a frenzy because they had dropped a kicked Browning in the stomach a week ago and was disqualified, had been on the mat thirty-five minutes, twenty-five seconds when McMasters announced it was time for everybody to go home and to bed.

Browning took the first fall in 27.31 with an airplane turnover and body scissors. Savoldi downed Browning with a series of drop-kicks and flying tackles in 7:50. Browning weighed 230 pounds, Savoldi 200.

GIANTS HAVE SAME LINE-UP

Manager Bill Terry Says He Will Make No Changes in His Baseball Champs

New York, Jan. 25.—William H. Terry, the Memphis oil man, pried himself away from his business responsibilities long enough yesterday to discuss his well-known hobby—baseball. In the course of a lengthy interrogation he put his stamp of approval on the livelier ball, drew a picture of his New York Giants as a slugging as well as pitching menace for 1934, and wound up by picking his world champions to finish in front in the forthcoming National League race.

Here's some news for you fellows," he laughed the manager of the Giants. "I'm going to start the same line-up that you picked to finish sixth last season."

For instance, he explained, this meant that Frank (Lefty) O'Doul and Mel Ott, O'Doul will still be a great guy to have around for emergencies and pinch-hitting. I am willing to stand pat, too, on the rest of the club. "The line-up is going to help us most is the presence of more experienced reserves from the start, men like O'Doul, Presco Thompson and George Grantham. Travis Jackson will battle Johnny Vergez for the thirdbase job.

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CALGARY RANGERS WIN

Drumheller, Jan. 25.—Calgary Rangers broke a three-way tie for leadership in the Southern Alberta Senior Hockey League with a 3 to 1 victory over Drumheller Miners here yesterday evening. Miners are left with Calgary Bronks in second place.

MORTIE DUTRA WINS

Hollywood, Calif., Jan. 25.—This motion picture club had to turn back the calendar yesterday as Mortie Dutra, Detroit, won the 1933 National Professional Golf Association medalist honors from Jimmy Hines, New York.

Dutra shot a 75-70-145 for thirty-six holes over the Lakeside Country Club course, three strokes over par, while his opponent, who beat him in the first round of match play in the championships at Milwaukee in August, had scores of 73-75-148.

The Detroit pro caught up with Hines on the twenty-fifth hole, took the lead on the twenty-sixth and went on to win the trophy.

CROSSLEY AND HILL IN LEAD

Set Pace For Bike Riders in Buffalo Race; Peden Is Tied For Second Spot

Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 25.—In a full lap ahead of the field, the Walthour-Schaller and Hill-Crossley teams remained in a tie for first place in the Buffalo six-day bicycle race to-day.

The two teams stole the lead from the team of Torchy Peden, Victoria, B.C., and Fred Ottevaire, late yesterday evening, and successfully fought off all challenges during the early morning "lame" and sprint. This morning they had covered 1,150 miles and nine laps, as compared to 1,150 miles and eight laps for the McNamara-Reboul and Peden-Ottevaire teams who were tied for second place.

The standings follow:

| Team | Miles | Laps | Pts. |
|----------------------|-------|------|------|
| Hill-Crossley | 1,150 | 9 | 282 |
| J. Walthour-Schaller | 1,150 | 9 | 281 |
| McNamara-Reboul | 1,150 | 8 | 334 |
| Peden-Ottevaire | 1,150 | 8 | 268 |
| Hopkins-Garrison | 1,150 | 8 | 218 |
| Scuderi-Defence | 1,150 | 8 | 135 |
| Spencer-Winter | 1,150 | 4 | 233 |
| Keating-Grimm | 1,150 | 4 | 181 |
| B. Walthour-Lands | 1,150 | 9 | 169 |
| Cup-Eitter | 1,150 | 7 | 225 |
| Defillo-Panatiere | 1,150 | 8 | 92 |

HOFFMAN WILL DISCUSS BOUT

Max Baer's Manager to Meet Lou Daro For Conference on Match With Schmeling

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 25.—Anell Hoffman, manager of Max Baer, heavyweight title contender, had let it be known to-day that he would confer in Miami over the week-end with Lou Daro, California fight promoter, about a bottle with Max Schmeling, and with Jack Dempsey in Oklahoma City within two weeks concerning "several good prospects."

Hoffman was notified by Daro, who has already signed the Teutonic champion to a twelve-round bout in Los Angeles, that the latter was delayed in New York because of illness but would go to Miami to meet the Baer manager. A conference had been planned here to-day.

Baer, who is appearing here on a theatrical tour, and Hoffman will leave for Miami to-night to remain there until next Tuesday, before starting for the west coast.

Hoffman said he received a wire Wednesday from Dempsey, saying, "Don't worry, have some good prospects," and asking him to stop on his trip to the west coast in Oklahoma City, where the former champion is staying for two weeks.

A workout of the Victoria City first and second division football teams will be held to-night at 8 o'clock at the Victoria of France. All players are asked to attend.

Benefit Game For Bailey Expected to Bring Him \$20,000

All-star N.H.L. Team and Toronto Leafs to Play Game For Benefit of "Ace"

SHORE RETURNS TO GAME SUNDAY

New York, Jan. 25.—Hockey's fadman speculated excitedly to-day over the probable makeup of the team of all-stars to be selected to play against the Maple Leafs in Toronto soon in a benefit match for Irvin "Ace" Bailey, smooth-playing Leaf wingman.

Decision to have an all-star squad meet the Leafs to pay tribute to the "Ace" and help him along, was made at yesterday's special meeting of the National Hockey League's board of governors.

James Strachan, representative of the Montreal Maroons, suggested some time ago in an Ottawa sports writer, after the governors had rejected the Bailey-Eddie Shore case for more than two hours.

Conny Smythe of the Leafs, supported by the Maroons and Ottawa Senators, had requested a review of affairs after managing director Frank Patrick had given Shore a sixteen-game suspension for knocking Bailey to the ice in Boston on December 12.

Bailey suffered a severe fracture of the skull and laceration at death's door for a fortnight. Smythe contended the player and the Leafs should be recompensed by the Bruins.

SHOULD GET \$20,000. Two players will be chosen from each club in the circuit. The clubs will pay expenses of the players making the trip. All facilities, including the rink at Toronto, will be given free. It is estimated Bailey will receive at least \$20,000 if the game proves a sell-out. Smythe declared he would guarantee Bailey \$15,000. If the gate fails to come up to that figure, he said, the Toronto club will donate the rest.

It was reported, but not confirmed, that Smythe brought forward a motion to have Shore suspended for the balance of the season. It was defeated by a vote of 6 to 3.

While Smythe declared he was satisfied with the result, Adams declined to comment. Art Ross, Bruin manager, who was on hand but did not attend the session, predicted things would go better from Sunday on "with the return of his club." Shore is eligible to return to action Sunday night against New York Rangers here.

Yesterday's meeting had its bell-ringing outburst but on the whole followed along the general lines of regular sessions.

Smythe charged he was satisfied Patrick and Calder.

LYMBOURNE TO BE COMPETITOR

Famous B.C. Skier to Take Part in Meet Sunday at Mount Hood

Portland, Ore., Jan. 25.—More than thirty ski jumpers will participate in the winter sports tournament at government camp on Mount Hood Saturday and Sunday. It was announced here yesterday by the Cascade Ski Club, sponsor of the annual event.

Most of the entrants are class A men, and many have never appeared in competition on Mount Hood. Bob Lymbourne, who leaped to fame in the ski world last season with a jump of 280 feet at Revelstoke, B.C., is one of the newcomers. He is entered from the Trail-Rossland Club of Trail, B.C.

The Gunnarson brothers, Hans and George, Grouse Mountain Club, and J. Hudspeth, Spokane, are other newcomers. A. Ellingsrud, Viking Club, Vancouver, B.C., who has never appeared in the United States, has sent in his entry.

Draw For Scottish Cup Second Round

Glasgow, Jan. 25.—The draw for the second round of the Scottish Football Association Cup to be played February 3 was made yesterday as follows: Aberdeen vs. Dundee. Alloa vs. Arbroath. Elgin vs. Hibernian. Ross County vs. Galston. Ayr United vs. Glasgow Celtic. Third Lanark vs. Glasgow Rangers. Brechin City vs. St. Mirren. Albion Rovers vs. Kilmarnock. Hamilton Academical vs. Falkirk. Queen's Park vs. Hearts. Partick vs. Motherwell. Cowdenbeath vs. St. Bernard's. Vale of Leithen vs. St. Johnstone. Queen of South, bye.

With the decision of the board, although no mention was made regarding the \$2,500 hospital bill, said to have been paid by the Leafs.

"Nothing more will be said about it, I believe," said the peppery Torontonian.

"This is the end of an unfortunate accident," said President Calder. "I believe it is a fair solution of the problem."

Outside of stating the contest for Bailey would be played "within the very near future," none of the officials would hazard a guess as to the probable line-up. There will be no more than two players from each club on the all-star, who will be chosen by the appeal board, which consists of Tom Arnold, Montreal, Managing Director</

Garrison, Spencers And Hudson's Bay In Football Wins

Three Clubs Register Close Victories in Wednesday League Fixtures

Close scores featured yesterday's Wednesday Football League fixtures in which the Garrison, undefeated leaders, continued their unbroken string of victories by blanking the Navy 2 to 0 at Beacon Hill upper ground. Spencer's kept close to the leaders by defeating the Macabees by the odd goal in three at Heywood Avenue, while the Hudson's Bay registered their first win in the Pandey Cup series by humbling the James Bay Liberals 2 to 1 at Beacon Hill lower ground.

Garrison are out in front in the race for the Pandey Cup, emblematic of the league championship, with three straight wins, giving them six points. Spencer's, with four points, occupy second berth. Deadlocked in third place is the Hudson's Bay and the James Bay Liberals, each with two points. Navy and Macabees bring up the rear, each having secured one point.

The Spencer's-Macabees match at Heywood Avenue opened with the latter one man short and the departmentals had the better of the early exchanges. Spencer's forced four corners in quick order but Wilmshurst in the Macabees' goal, and the two backs, Speller and Woodley cleared well. After fifteen minutes of continual pressing Spencer's were into the lead. Art Chapman scoring following a corner kick by Wilson. Although they were playing with ten men the Macabees broke away on several dangerous rushes and, after fifteen minutes of end-to-end play, they were successful in tying the score. Fieldhouse rushing in to beat McKinnon after one of Spencer's backs had mis-kicked. Shortly after T. Graves arrived to bring the Macabees to full strength.

CHAPMAN GETS SECOND
Spencer's rallied and missed a fine scoring opportunity when Bissell was clear through only to boot the ball against one of the uprights in trying to pick the corner. The third and final goal of the match came a few minutes before the half-time whistle. After making a save Wilmshurst took too many steps with the ball and a free kick was awarded Spencer's fifteen yards. McKinnon passed the ball to Luxton, whose shot was blocked, but Chapman drove home the rebound.

Play in the second half was evenly divided with both goals experiencing several close calls. Proceedings were enlivened five minutes before the finish when McKinnon (Spencer's) and Woodley (Macabees) attempted to put on a little exhibition, but the other players rushed in and separated the pair and play resumed.

Johnson refereed and the teams were: Spencer's—McMillan, Cann, Munro, Chapman, L. Bradley, D. Bradley, Bissell, Clarke, Wilson, Luxton and McKinnon. Macabees—Wilmshurst, Woodley, Speller, Fieldhouse, Wallis, Hill, T. Graves, Richards, E. Roberts, Sharp and W. Graves.

Goals in the second half by Worswick and Cook gave the Garrison a 2 to 0 victory over the Navy at Beacon Hill upper ground. The feature of the match was the sensational net minding of Dick Caldwell, smart net custodian, for the sailors. Caldwell stopped many shots ticketed for the net, his work being one of the reasons for the small score, the lowest registered in league matches by the Garrison.

Playing with the wind in their favor in the first half the sailors had three-quarters of the play, but their forward line failed to click and many excellent chances of scoring were wasted. Garrison, bucking a strong wind, found it exceptionally difficult to carry the play to their opponents' end of the field, but when they did they were dangerous. Just before the half-time whistle Edwards was robbed of a sure marker by the sensational diving save of Caldwell, and the rebound was shot inches wide of the upright by Cook. Hall, Roberts, Mair, Walker and Wells of the Navy tested Glenning in this half, but he was wise. The rest interval arrived with no score.

Ten minutes after the resumption Worswick broke the ice when his ground shot grazed the upright and rebounded into the net. The wind aided very materially in this marker. Keeping up the offensive the Garrison forced Caldwell to save five times in quick succession. This attack finally halted, then sailors took the play

Gregalach Gets Heaviest Impost

London, Jan. 25.—Gregalach, the big Irish jumper which won the Grand National steeplechase at Aintree in 1929, to-day was assigned top weight of 75 pounds for the 1934 renewal on March 23.

CLEAN SLATE FOR MAT GAME

New York State Athletic Commission Completes Wrestling Investigation

New York, Jan. 25.—The New York State Athletic Commission to-day had given professional wrestling a clean bill here for the simple reason that all mat encounters here are listed as exhibitions, not as matches.

After an investigation promoted by an expose of Jack Pifer, a promoter, the commission handed down its ruling. General James J. Phelan, chairman of the commission, added that a new set of rules is under consideration.

"We don't allow wrestling to be called matches," Phelan explained, "but we do insist they be called exhibitions or shows. Therefore I don't see how any fixing can be done any more than in a vaudeville jugglers' act."

Into the Garrison half of the field, only to have it return almost immediately, after twenty minutes of almost continual offensive play the Garrison netted their second goal, and the final of the match, when Cook scored with a high shot from the left wing.

Navy went on the attack following the centre, but their best scoring chance of the second half was spoiled by poor finishing. Garrison returned the better of the play in both halves, but Caldwell saved a hot shot from Miller. In diving for the ball he was injured, but able to continue in a few seconds.

Cull refereed and the teams were: Garrison—Glenning, Burgess, Buxton, Wilkinson, Bissard, Evans, McAllister, Worswick, Miller, Edwards and Cook.

Navy—Caldwell, Myles, Dovey, Benallack, Hall, Roberts, Sweet, Wells, Mair, Blackmore and Walker.

Scoring a goal in each half, Hudson's Bay registered a 2 to 1 victory over James Bay Liberals at Beacon Hill lower ground. The winners had the better of the play in both halves, but the goalkeeping of Bourne, James Bay net custodian, kept the score down.

Receiving the ball on a pass from Collier, speedy left winger, Doherty opened the scoring for the Hudson's Bay when he tricked Bourne with a nice shot in the corner of the net. Still on the offensive the Bays were given a penalty when a foul was called on Eastwood. Disputing the referee's decision, Eastwood booted the ball from the penalty spot, and refused to retrieve it when asked to by the official. As a consequence he was ejected from the playing field. Stevens, who took the penalty, missed the goal. No further scoring resulted before the rest interval.

With the resumption of play, Kelman appeared on the Liberals' line-up, and the Hudson's Bay net minder, Doherty after the start of this half Hudson's Bay increased their lead when Scott scored with a nice drive. Rosekamp missed a good chance to even the score for the James Bay Liberals a few minutes later when they were awarded a penalty, but his shot missed the goal. Shortly after he left the field with an injured ankle.

Keeping up their offensive play, the losers finally scored when Miller headed the ball out of the reach of Baxter. Hudson's Bay net minder. It was the last goal of the match.

McKay refereed and the teams were: Hudson's Bay—Baxter, O'Connell, Wyatt, Oakman, McManus, Phil, Scott, Stevens, Doherty and Collier. James Bay Liberals—Bourne, Eastwood, Crawford, Bedford, Mercer, Thame, Oben, Rosekamp, Miller, A. McAllister, Reda and W. McBride.

Bowling Scores

AT OLYMPIC ALLEYS
COMMERCIAL FIFTEEN LEAGUE

Section A
K. at P.—G. W. Allison 500, M. H. Barry 607, A. Haines 596, G. Davies 624, W. Marshall 572, handicap 216. Total 3,267.

McKee—H. Moulton 630, L. W. Cox 725, F. Moulton 543, A. Spence 586, J. Johnston 623, handicap 285. Total 3,262.

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CAGERS HUDDLE IN A MUDDLE



When Marquette University's cagers get into hot water, they go into a huddle like gliders. Above you get a worm's-eye view of them talking it over. Starting at the bottom and reading clockwise are: Ernie Kukla, centre; Co-Capt. Ed Mullen, guard; Co-Capt. Adolph Gorychka, forward; Ray Morstad, forward, and Cy Rubado, guard.

NET VICTORY FOR WILLOWS

Defeat Garrison Badminton Stars 10 to 6 in League Fixture; Play Is Keen

Scoring six victories in the eight mixed doubles matches, Willows badminton stars defeated the Garrison, 10 to 6, in a first division fixture of the Lower Vancouver Island Badminton League, played on their home courts yesterday evening. The clubs divided the honors in the men's and women's doubles. Five matches were forced to extra sets.

Results, with the Willows players first mentioned, follow:
WOMEN'S DOUBLES
Miss Nelson and Miss M. Hughes lost to Misses Oates and D. Swayne, 14-17, 9-15.

Misses Nelson and Hughes lost to Misses Nicholson and Pitts, 18-13, 9-15.

Mrs. Macdonald and Miss Morley won from Misses Oates and D. Swayne, 15-11, 15-11.

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Racing Results

Agua Caliente, Jan. 25.—Results of horse racing here yesterday follow:
First race—440, claiming, three-year-olds, three furlongs.
Easter Doll (Taylor).....\$4.40 \$3.40 \$2.20
Faint (Grayson).....14.40 3.40
Jay D. (Burns).....2.20
Time, 1:08 4/5. Ray Green (Fleming), Cleat, White Bread and Pima (Gaye) also ran.
Second race—440, claiming, three-year-olds and three-quarters of a mile.
Chub (McGowan).....\$4.00 \$3.00 \$2.00
Jupie (Taylor).....5.40 3.80
Judge Austin (Heim).....5.20
Time, 1:12 3/4. Little Heel, Blue Lake, Red Chilli, Brown Ball, Verussa, Mary Belle, Trompe, Del Welles and Calwyn also ran.
Third race—440, four-year-olds and up, one mile and seventy yards.
Poulin (Stoddard).....\$3.40 \$2.40 \$1.40
Ceryra (Koungarten).....2.60 2.80
Old Turk (Craig).....2.80
Time, 1:44 3/4. Madam Queen, Sun Thrills, Zee, Animator, Francis Seymour, Cleatwald, Clear Star, Just Ormont and Poor Pan also ran.
Fourth race—440, claiming, three-year-olds and up, three-fourths of a mile.
Nifty Flash (Craig).....\$12.80 \$8.40 \$5.20
Anapola (Smith).....4.80 4.00
Time, 1:08 4/5. Up, Sharp Thought, Broadlight, Noah's Pride, Sound Money, Amy Cooper, Lancer also ran.
Fifth race—440, claiming, three-year-olds and up, one-half furlongs.
Blissages (Winter).....5.00 3.40
Georgia Lily (Thur).....5.00 3.40
Time, 1:08 4/5. Up, Sharp Thought, Broadlight, Noah's Pride, Sound Money, Amy Cooper, Lancer also ran.
Sixth race—One mile and a sixteenth, four-year-olds and up, claiming, \$400.
Fitch (Grayson).....\$7.20 \$1.40 1.20
Rome Vantage (Heim).....3.80
Happy Yellow (McGowan).....5.20
Time, 1:46 3/4. Bertrand and New Sun also ran.
Seventh race—One mile, four-year-olds and up, claiming, \$200.
Nifty Flash (Craig).....\$12.80 \$8.40 \$5.20
Bay Leaf (Thornton).....8.40 4.00
Montanaro (Arndt).....5.00
Oatzen, Lagrange, Jeu de Bar, Bantu, Kensington, Voyage and Gold Dollar also ran.

Students and "Y" In Hoop Victories

Handing the Adams a 25 to 10 defeat at the First United gymnasium yesterday evening, Chinese Students' team, practically clinched the championship of the second half of the Junior Sunday School League schedule. Playing in an intermediate division fixture at the Y.M.C.A., the Y-Inds. defeated the Metropolitans 36 to 19.

Gaining a fourteen-point lead in the initial half, the Chinese Students were able to hold off the great last half of the Adams.

Displaying better shooting ability in each half, Y.M.C.A. cagers came close to doubling the score of the Metropolitans.

Teams follow:
Chinese Students—George Lowe 9, Frank Nipp 7, James Lowe 6, Chuck Nipp 2, William Lowe 1, George Nagel, Douglas Barn, Roy Lowe and Koe MacAdam—Charles A. Jackson 5, Dicka, Friker, Macdonald 5, Hornsby, Naysmith 2, Tyrrell 4, and MacBay 1.

Y.M.C.A.—Barber 12, Dennstedt 7, Bourne 2, Mair, Berryman, Thomas 5, Simpson 10.

Metropolitans—Wheldon 2, Combe 6, Price 6, Wilson 2, Vost 3, Fletcher, Hunt.

WOMEN'S DOUBLES
Misses June and Butts lost to Mrs. G. Erikson and Miss Lyster, 6-15, 6-15.
Misses M. Graham and Higham won from Miss W. Waites and Miss H. Graham, 15-5, 15-5.
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Eight Teams Active To-night In N.H.L.

Vancouver Swimmer Claims New Records

Vancouver, Jan. 25.—Bobble Hooper, fifteen-year-old aquatic star of the Vancouver Amateur Swimming Club, continued the assault on Canadian marks with a pair of unofficial records.

Hooper clipped a second off the 300-yards free style, making the distance in 3:32. The Dominion record is held by Bert Gibson, Toronto Y., at 3:33.

The youngster came back later to negotiate the junior 100 yards free style in 58.2, a fifth of a second better than the mark set by Bob Pirie, Toronto, last April.

JAPANESE IS CUE CHAMPION

Kinney Matsuyama Captures U.S. Three Cushion Title; Kenney Runner-up

Philadelphia, Jan. 25.—Len Kenney, seeded star from Chicago, yesterday won the runner-up place in the national three-cushion billiard championship and a qualifying post in the world title play by downing Charles McCourt, northern sectional crown holder, 50 to 34 in fifty-nine innings.

With Kinney Matsuyama, Japanese cue ace from New York, the national title winner by virtue of his defeat of Alfredo de Oro Sr., Cuban veteran, Tuesday night, Kenney took second honors by trouncing the Clevelanders in the play-off, which wound up the twelve-day tourney.

Kenney and McCourt deadlocked at five victories and two defeats each during the scheduled matches of the tourney. The play-off yesterday was not only to decide the second-place winner, but the cue man who would gain the right to enter the world play with the Japanese ace.

Emmanuel Baptist In Badminton Win

In an exhibition badminton fixture at St. Mark's Hall, Emmanuel Baptist players defeated the home club 10 to 6. Scores, with St. Mark's players first mentioned, follow:

MEN'S DOUBLES
Munn and Bell lost to G. Erikson and H. Blake, 9-15, 9-15.
Munn and Bell lost to G. Erikson and A. Rycroft, 8-15.

Sharpe and Bertwhistle lost to G. Erikson and H. Blake, 6-15.

Sharpe and Bertwhistle won from E. Erikson and A. Rycroft, 15-12.

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Montreal Canadiens Engage Chicago in Important Game; Rangers at Ottawa

A quiet little man who soon will lay his 500th game of big league hockey, and is still among the half-dozen brightest stars of the game, leads Montreal Canadiens into Chicago to-night for a National Hockey League game that means a lot to both teams.

Aurel Joliat will try the sharp shot that has kept him up with the scoring leaders on Charlie Gardiner, league shutout king, and his wizardry in other things against a Black Hawk team that must win the clash to keep near New York Rangers and Detroit, tied for the American division leadership.

The invasion of Joliat and his Canadiens into Chicago is their second this season. On December 17 they were beaten 4 to 1, the Hawks averaging a 3 to 1 lacing they took from the Habitués in Montreal a month before.

FOUR GAMES TO-NIGHT
Their meeting to-night is one of four games in the N.H.L. that may give a new twist to the standings. Montreal Maroons, Ottawa and New York Americans, grouped behind the Habitués in the Canadian division, all get into action.

Beaten 8 to 4 in Toronto Tuesday, Maroons are under threat of a similar thrashing to-night when they meet the Maple Leafs again in Montreal. Senators take another crack at Rangers, who defeated them 5 to 2 Tuesday, but this time the battleground will be in Ottawa.

Americans, fastest stepping team in the league at the moment, can get into a playoff position for the first time this season by defeating Red Wings in New York. A win would tie them with Maroons, providing the Gerardsmen drop another contest to Toronto.

Detroit must win to keep pace with Rangers if the latter take a fall out of the Senators.

BASKETBALL, RUGBY AND HOCKEY TEAMS TO COMMENCE PLAY

(Continued from Page 14)
February 20
Girl's Central vs. South Park.
Sir James Douglas—bye.

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South Park vs. Sir James Douglas.

March 6
South Park vs. Sir James Douglas.
Girl's Central—bye.

March 13
South Park vs. Girl's Central.
Sir James Douglas—bye.

BOYS' SENIOR BASKETBALL—NORTH SECTION
Oaklands vs. Quadra.
North Ward vs. Victoria West.

February 12
Oaklands vs. North Ward.
Quadra vs. Victoria West.

February 19
Oaklands vs. Victoria West.
Quadra vs. North Ward.

February 26
Quadra vs. Oaklands.
Victoria West vs. North Ward.

March 5
North Ward vs. Oaklands.
Victoria West vs. Quadra.

March 12
Victoria West vs. Oaklands.
North Ward vs. Quadra.

SOUTH SECTION
February 5
Boys' Central vs. Sir James Douglas.
South Park—bye.

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Losses At Winnipeg Follow Weakness In Chicago Wheat Pit

Winnipeg, Jan. 25.—Weakness at Chicago, combined with lack of export demand and light support in the pit, sent wheat prices down for fractional losses on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange to-day. Closing quotations showed an overnight decline of 1/4 to 1/2. May wheat closed at 67 1/2, and July option closed at 68 1/2 cents.

Uneasiness displayed in the southern pit appeared to be the main influence in the downturn at Winnipeg. Support was slim and though selling was also light, prices had little recourse but to turn downwards. Export sales were at a minimum. Trading throughout the day was desultory.

Chicago prices were off more than a cent, while closing quotations at Liverpool showed losses of 1/4 to 1/2.

Clearances from Argentina for the week are estimated at 3,490,000 bushels compared with 3,000,000 bushels last week and 53,550,000 bushels last year. Cash and coarse grains trading was quiet.

To-day's Grain Markets

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Bringing Up Father—



The Gumps—



Mutt And Jeff—



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Boots and Her Buddies—



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Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

Will Spinster or Widow With Children Make Better Wife for Widower?—Loving Mothers' Exaggerated Criticism Makes Failures of Their Children

DEAR MISS DIX—Would it be wise for a widower of moderate means, who is in his early fifties and has grown children at home, to wed a poor young widow with several small children? Or would a spinster in her thirties make him happier?

SERIOUS.

Answer—Generally speaking, widows are a preferred risk in matrimony, especially for the middle-aged. There are many reasons why this should be the case. They are professionals, so to speak, instead of amateurs, and know how to play the matrimonial game instead of bungling it. It is not very often that you hear of an ex-widow or ex-widower figuring in the divorce courts.



Those who have been married know what to expect of marriage and when they re-wed they do not look for glamorous impossibilities. They do not expect it to be an earthly Paradise nor a perpetual petting party for their mates to be sprouting angel wings. They are perfectly aware that even the happiest marriage calls for a lot of work and self-sacrifice and is full of tacks, and that their new husbands and wives will be just poor, weak, cantankerous human beings even as their first ones were.

But just because they do know what marriage is, and how it can be made a success, they are more apt to make a go of it than those who are experimenting with it for the first time. And just because they have learned about women and men from their first wives and husbands they know how to handle their second ones.

Hence, everything else being equal, the widow or widower is a better matrimonial bet than the spinster or bachelor. But in your particular case the widow is so heavily handicapped by her small children that it makes her a very bad risk for a man of your age and in your financial circumstances.

You have already one family to support and that is about as heavy a burden as a middle-aged man can bear without breaking under it. Nor need you delude yourself with the idea that because your children are grown they will be off your hands.

Also, as you grow older you have a right to feel that you would like to take things easier, to have a little more of what you make to spend upon yourself and to indulge yourself in some of the luxuries and pleasures you have always craved but have had to deny yourself while you were bringing up a family. And you would like peace and quiet in your home.

But you can have none of these things if you assume the support of a family of young children who will have to be fed and clothed and have their tonsils and their adenoids out, and be educated and have cars and be paid out of scrapes just as your own children were.

If you consider your own individual good, marry a woman without encumbrances. But if you desire to do one of the finest and most altruistic things that any man can do, marry a widow with olive branches and be a real father to her children.

DOROTHY DIX.

DEAR DOROTHY DIX—For the love of goodness please say something to mothers about the way they discourage their children. I have one of the best mothers in the world, but she takes all of the ambition out of me by her perpetual criticisms of everything I try to do. I am "slow" and "backward" and a "bungler" and so on. I am naturally shy and timid and because she is always holding my shortcomings up before me it has given me an inferiority complex that makes me want to go off somewhere and die. I know my mother thinks she is helping me by telling me of my faults, but she is intensifying them. Why can't mothers see what they are doing to their children by always bating them?

G. B.

Answer—I don't know, unless it is that mothers are so anxious for their children to be perfect that they get an exaggerated view of their shortcomings and feel that they must spend their time hammering on them.

Perhaps that is the reason that mother never ceases harping on her children's faults and criticizing everything they do. They cannot rise up or sit down without her telling them for pity's sake not to slouch or not to stumble over the chair. They cannot eat without her calling their attention to how to hold their forks or not to gobble their food. They cannot speak without her correcting their grammar or pronunciation.

Many a girl fails to marry because her mother has made her so shy by telling her when she was a child how homely she was, that she shrank from all contact with society. Many a man has been a failure because his mother took away from him all of his confidence in himself, by impressing on him that he was slow and dull and could never keep up with other children. Many a mother has put out the fire on the altar of genius by keeping before a gifted boy or girl the idea of his or her inferiority.

Great is the power of suggestion, but it works both ways. It can kill as well as cure. It can take every bit of the heart out of children or it can inspire them to do great things. And wise is the mother who makes her children believe that she expects the best of them instead of dimly prophesying the worst for them.

In olden times it used to be thought necessary continually to tell children how ugly and dull and generally worthless they were in order to keep them from being vain, but now we know that we need a lot of self-conceit to get us through the world, and the children need to be encouraged instead of discouraged.

DOROTHY DIX.

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THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



MOST ANIMALS

FLEE AT THE APPROACH OF AN AIRPLANE—BUT NOT THE LION! A PLANE, PILOTED BY AIRMAN SUCHOKY, WAS ATTACKED BY A LION IN AFRICA. THE PILOT WAS FLYING LOW OVER THE ANIMAL WHEN IT

IN THE SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE, AN OBSERVER SEES THE SUN CROSS THE HEAVENS FROM RIGHT TO LEFT!

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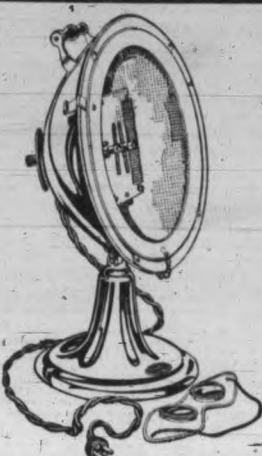
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The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blank occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during three of the usual tidal periods.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of low water.

PILOTS' LOOKOUT

Dorothy Alexander, sailed for California ports at midnight.
Europa, proceeded to Vancouver at midnight.
Corrientes, docked Victoria, from England, 7:45 a.m.
Loch Goll, docked Victoria, from Europe ports, 11:30 a.m.
Aorangi, docked Victoria, from Sydney, Auckland, Suva and Honolulu, 11:45 a.m.
Hiye Maru, sailed from Vancouver, 11 a.m.; due off Victoria, bound Japan, 5:30 p.m.
Ruth Alexander, due Victoria, from California ports, Friday, 7 a.m.

Storms Keep Couple From Home On Island

Lighthouse Keepers of Destruction Island Trying Every Day Since January 11 to Return to Island

Forks, Wash., Jan. 25.—The castaways of Destruction Island, that bleak, isolated rock that bears a lonely lighthouse, are marooned in civilization by the pounding surf.

Not that Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Understock are marooned on the island, no. They want to get back to the island where they help tend the Government lighthouse, but stormy waters bar their way.

"Goodbye, it was a lovely visit, and now we'll go home," they said today to their hosts, Mr. George Krouse of Forks.

"There'll be steak for dinner," said Mrs. Krouse, setting two extra plates. She knew they'd return because they always have.

Every day since January 11 the Understocks have taken their baggage down to the wharf, to catch the mail boat for Destruction Island, off the coast of Washington. There hasn't been a mail boat, because storms have lashed the coast. Every day Mr. Krouse comes down to the wharf. He used to invite them formally to come back and stay a day or so. Now he only crooks his finger. It's a habit.

The Understocks came ashore December 1 for a vacation, intending to return January 11. They visited the Krouses January 9 and 10, and started a series of pinocchle games. Those games are still going on, interrupted only by the daily comedy of the castaways bidding the Krouses farewell, going down to the dock and returning for dinner.

Drifted Hours In Open Boat

Vancouver, Jan. 25.—Ashley Bolton and Fred Nelson, West Eighth, who were at home yesterday evening after drifting for twenty-eight hours in a disabled gasboat off West Point Grey Beach.

Tuesday, while fishing off Sandheads the motor of their boat failed and they were driven ten miles into the Gulf of Georgia. They attempted to make of Nanaimo but a shift in the wind carried them back until yesterday they found themselves in the surf off West Point Grey and managed to scramble to safety.

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